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REBELS THREATEN TO FIRE OIL TANKS

Unless Federal Gunboat is Removed from Tampico.

WOULD DESTROY ENTIRE CITY

Floating Flames Would Devastate City and Destroy Shipping as Well as Prevent Protection by Gunboat.

Mexico City, Nov. 26.—"Remove the gunboat Bravo or we shall fire on the oil tanks in the city of Tampico and along the banks of the river above." This threat, according to private information here, was sent to the commander of the Federals at Tampico yesterday.

So long as the garrison at Tampico is aided by the guns of the Bravo, which is anchored in the river just off Fiscal Pier, there appears to be little chance of the rebels to capture and hold the city. But they might easily shoot up the tanks of oil, estimated at 100,000 barrels. Should the oil in the tanks up river be fired the floating flame would be carried into the heart of the city, most effectually remove the menace offered by the gunboat, destroy all shipping and probably a fair part of the town.

That the rebels will carry out their threat is regarded by some of the officials here as by no means improbable, although foreigners owning property in the neighborhood of Tampico are depending on the promises of the rebels not to molest the wells or tanks.

Advices from Tuxpam, or Tampico are meagre because the lines of communication are interrupted. Practically the only method of communication is by wireless from the warships to Vera Cruz.

Campaign Against Tampico.

There is a growing belief here that the campaign inaugurated by the rebels against Tuxpam is really directed against Tampico. It is suggested that the rebels have sought to attract attention to the approach upon Tuxpam from which the advance against Tampico might be overlooked.

The central part of concentration of the rebel forces is at Tamiahua, about half way between the two ports. At Tampico there are said to be about 800 Federals supported by the gunboat Bravo. The war department has announced that Gen. Joaquin Maas, will proceed at an early date with reinforcements for Tampico.

There is no prospect of a resumption of traffic over the main line of the National Railway. The rebels who blew up a train recently south of Saltillo, also destroyed several bridges. Between Carneros and Saltillo the rebels have concentrated in force, placing in a difficult situation the Federals under Gen. Velasco, who were dispatched from Saltillo to re-capture Torreon, all communication with the capital has been cut.

A serious situation again has developed in Morelos and adjacent States through the re-appearance of the bandit forces under Emiliano and Eufemio Zapata.

The orders of the Zapata men are said to be to burn every hacienda they pass and inaugurate a campaign of destruction more vigorous than ever.

In the Mexican capital the organization representing the European colonies, the members of which have banded together for possible defense, is working quietly and expeditiously. The foreign residents hope to agree upon some locality where they may concentrate if necessary and which will be regarded as a neutral zone. Steps have been taken to procure a thousand head of beef cattle, 100 milch cows, 1,500 sheep and food in sufficient quantities to keep them for several weeks.

Return to Juarez.

El Paso, Texas, Nov. 26.—One hundred and eighty-four wounded men are in the Juarez hospitals tonight as a result of the unsuccessful Federal attack on Juarez. Pancho Villa and 6,000 rebel troops are back in Juarez. South of Juarez for 18 or 20 miles there are no rebel soldiers. Villa says he has some further south and that the city is well guarded against a re-appearance of the enemy.

Villa captured a number of Federal field pieces and a military. He said yesterday that he captured 500 Federals. Today he brought less than 200 to Juarez. He admits executing some of them. Apparently the greatest number of dead as a result of the fighting are those who faced the firing squad and paid the penalty of supporting the Huerta cause rather than that of Villa, Madero or Caranza. A trip over the battlefield today revealed only a few bodies.

Plenty of empty cartridge shells and exploded shrapnels were found on the field. Two newly made graves were seen near Mesa, where Villa had his headquarters and two bodies were placed on a train at Mesa late this afternoon by rebel soldiers.

The hands of both bodies were tied and each evidently had died at the hands of executioners. These were the only dead of evidences of dead seen on the field.

Rebel soldiers explained that the Federal dead had been gathered up and buried and they pointed off beyond the hills. If there were many Federal dead as a result of the battle, other than executions, the rebels carried them a great distance across the country to bury them.

There were more dead than was apparent here, for rebels with spades came in from remote sections of the field, but the death list is not heavy. The general belief is that most of the men who filled the graves were men who were shot after capture.

Execute Prisoners.

The rebels admit executing prisoners who had volunteered for service with the Federals. The rebel army

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DELAY SETTLEMENT

Effect of Deaths of Railroad Presidents on Rate Matter.

Efforts of Messrs. Emerson and Finley Big Factor in Reaching Agreement—Great Interest in Appointment of Successors.

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(Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, November 26.—It is stated here tonight that the death of Presidents W. W. Finley and T. M. Emerson will seriously retard the settlement of the rate controversy in North Carolina. According to those who are supposed to know, it was through the efforts of Messrs. Emerson and Finley that the roads were able to agree to any settlement at all.

The appointment of successors to these two men, therefore, may have a good or bad effect upon the final adjustment which is to be made through the commission just appointed by Governor Craig.

The Southern has over 1,500 miles of railroad and the Coast Line a little over 1,100 miles in North Carolina, hence these two roads are the dominant factors in the rate fight.

The appointment of official heads for these two railroads, therefore, will be of great interest to the State. The regular meeting of the board of directors of the Southern is two weeks from tomorrow, though a special meeting may be called to elect a successor to Mr. Finley.

$75 A MONTH CLERK TAKES QUARTER MILLION.

James E. Foye Arrested on Charge of Forgery.

New York, November 26.—Loss from the alleged forgeries and speculations of James E. Foye, a $75 a month bank clerk, which amount to more than $250,000, will not exceed $22,000, according to a statement issued today by brokers here with whom he had negotiated for a loan on 600 shares of General Electric Co. stock. Aside from a certified check for $97,000 and $5,266 in cash found on Foye's person at the time of his arrest, accounts in several banks here were attached, covering the larger part of the money involved.

When arraigned today Foye was committed to the Tombs without bail for 30 days on a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses from the Corn Exchange National Bank of Philadelphia. Magistrate Breen said he took this course to allow time for an investigation as to whether the alleged crime was committed in Pennsylvania and if so to await the action of the courts o fthat State with regard to possible extradition.

The alleged forgeries of signatures to blank certificates of General Electric Co., began November 1st, and were discontinued on or before November 15th, when Foye left the employ of the Farmers' Loan & Trust Co. Officers of the Trust company today explained that Foye had access to the vaults where the stationery, blank books and stock certificates were stored.

Had Foye been content with smaller gains, the bank officers said, he might have carried on his alleged speculations for a much longer period by merely hypothcating, monthly, a small number of certificates which he had filled out. When so many blank certificate books were missed, the investigation that resulted in Foye's arrest followed. It was stated that each certificate bore the signature of the General Electric Co. and that he merely had to add the signatures of the register and transfer officials.

Foye appeared to take his arraignmen as a matter of course. When Foye left his clerkship with the Farmers' Loan & Trust Co., he said he intended to return to activity on the Consolidated Stock Exchange. He carried the best of references, the Trust company officers said.

It was denied today that Foye had forged any certificates other than those of the General Electric Co.

INVESTIGATING CONDITIONS.

in Oyster Beds of Chesapeake Bay by Government.

Washington, November 26.—Sanitary conditions in the oyster beds of Chesapeake Bay are to be investigated this Winter by the United States Bureau of Chemistry. Dr. Carl L. Alsberg, chief chemist, said today that in order to determine whether it was fit, it was necessary to go to the source and that the work in Chesapeake Bay was but the beginning of a series of inquiries to be carried on all over the country during the next few years.

The Fish Hawk, the United States fish commission's vessel, fitted for the occasion with a bacteriological laboratory, will take aboard the chemistry experts the latter part of next month.

In the meantime, the commission will be using the boat all through the Winter to study the abundance and distribution of fish in the bay. Dr. Smith, chief of the bureau, said today that he wanted to know more about the Winter habits of shad, herring, white perch, menhaden and other fish which inhabit the bay.

UNIQUE WEDDING GIFT.

North Carolina Emerald Given Miss Jessie Wilson.

New York, November 26.—One of the unique wedding gifts received by Miss Jessie Wilson, now Mrs. Francis B. Sayre, it developed here tonight, was a beautiful American emerald of about three karats weight, presented by Lovat Frazer, of this city through his friend, Dr. W. T. Grenfell. The emerald is a product of the South, giving it an added value to the recipient. It was discovered on North Carolina property owned by Mr. Frazer and was cut by American lapidaries. It was enclosed in a heart-shaped silver box, inscribed with the monogram, "J. W. W." the box reposing in a Siberian malachite jewel case.

RUNNING WATER IN ALL RURAL HOMES

Governor Craig's Ideal As Presented to Teachers.

AND SCREENED WINDOWS, TOO

North Carolina Teachers' Assembly Convenes in Raleigh and is Addressed by Dr. Eggleston, Dr. Joyner and the Governor.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 26.—Governor Locke Craig declared, in addressing the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly tonight, that the greatest blessing for the eighty per cent. farming class in this State that he could imagine is that of having running water in the country homes, and the next greatest blessing would be to have screens in the windows of these homes, to keep out the flies. Plenty of water with no flies would mean clean, sanitary homes.

He insisted that the teachers in the State, reaching the homes of all of the people, exert the influence that will bring these improvements to pass. He said teachers ought to be the best of examples among the people, and that they ought to dress in the best fashion —not to the extreme "split skirts" fashion, but the most approved style of the period.

The Assembly was convened for the thirtieth annual session tonight, in the auditorium by President A. C. Reynolds, with quite a large attendance, and with teachers arriving on every train.

J. W. Bailey, collector of internal revenue, was to have welcomed the teachers, but he is delayed in Washington on official business, and Chas. J. Parker welcomed them instead. He performed the duty admirably.

The response was by Dr. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction. He considered it a special honor to speak for the great body of teachers of North Carolina, and paid a tribute to Raleigh, the old and the new, and predicted that the Assembly will continue to meet in the Capitol city from year to year.

Dr. Eggleston Speaks.

The principal address of the evening was by Dr. J. D. Eggleston, president of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, and formerly superintendent of the Asheville schools, and State Superintendent of Virginia public schools.

His theme was "How to Link Education With Life." He appealed for a practical education for the rural schools that will deal in mathematics and all the other studies with the demonstration work for the farmers, the students in the schools and for the teachers, must be extended and marshaled in such a way as to combine the school and the home and farm life with a zeal and directness that will impart greatest effectiveness for real progress.

The Assembly takes up regular work tomorrow.

PROBABLY FATALLY BURNED

Orphan Girl in Odd Fellows' Home in Precarious Condition—Clothing Was Practically Burned Off.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Goldsboro, N. C., Nov. 26.—Hallie Graves, a 14-year-old girl in the Odd Fellows' Orphans' Home, was dangerously, if not fatally, burned this morning at 10:40. The little girl was attending to the cooking of dinner and while at the stove her apron caught on fire and was in a blaze instantly.

The little girl in her excitement ran out into the yard back of the kitchen and before she could be caught her clothes had practically burned from her body. She was hastened to the Goldsboro hospital where three physicians have done all they can for her.

Dr. J. Rainey Parker, the Home physician, says there is but little hope for her recovery. She was admitted to the Home from Poplar Branch Lodge No. 116, September 20th, 1909. She has a mother living near Elizabeth City and an aunt living at Belcross.

IDENTIFY THE DEAD.

Those Killed in Auto Explosion Are Now Known.

New York, November 26.—Indentification of the four persons killed in the Palham Parkway automobile crash early this morning, was completed late today with the statement of a youth that one was his sister, Miss Helen Schaeffer, 20 years old, a manicurist. The others were Thomas F. Denney, Democratic member of the Assembly from the 19th district of Manhattan; Mrs. Fannie Loos, and Leonard Cohen, a dress goods manufacturer, prominent in Tammany circles. They were occupants of Cohen's car, the negro chauffeur of which was slightly injured.

Three or four persons in the other car, owned by Barthold B. Rich, were injured, but none fatally. Rich is a garage owner and connected with an automobile company that bears his name. Ten years ago he was left $1,000,000 by his father who was a real estate owner.

New York, Nov. 26.—The campaign for a four million fund for the Young Men's Christian Association, and the Young Women's Christian Association which has been in progress for the last fortnight, closed successfully tonight, when it was announced that a total of $4,061,500 had been reached.

MR. M'RACKEN WINS

Supreme Court Mixed on Columbus Case

Judgment Against Bank for Usurious Interest is Sustained in Favor of Director Who Was Party to Making Loan.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Nov. 26.—The judges of the Supreme Court are all mixed up in the case of Donald McRacken vs. the Bank of Columbus, from Columbus county, that came down this afternoon in a batch of 12 opinions delivered. McRacken obtained a judgment for $150 usury charged him on a $3,000 loan by the bank when he was, as a director, chairman of the committee on loans, and necessarily approved the loan and rate of interest charged him and customers generally. Justice Walker, writing the opinion for the majority of the court, sustains the trial below in which the judgment was secured. Chief Justice Clark files a concurring opinion.

On the other hand, Justices Brown and Allen file strong dissenting opinions. In his dissenting opinion, Judge Brown quotes from the concurring opinion of Chief Justice Clark that "The plaintiff has been certainly for years an open and defiant violator of the law," and adds, "and yet he asks now that the court set a premium on his misconduct and reward him for misdeeds and visit its wrath upon all the other directors of the bank except himself."

Chief Justice Clark and the others of the majority opinion take the view that the bank had no right to impose the usurious interest, even though the borrower consented, and although, as in this case appeared to be the fact, the borrower was chairman of the loan committee of the directors and had claims against the bank as legal advisor.

The court sustains the conviction of Burton R. English in Randolph county for the killing of J. M. Armstrong, sentenced to 25 years in the penitentiary, the verdict having been second degree murder. The killing grew out of the two men being competitors in the leasing of land hunting privileges. The full list of opinions delivered follows:

Armstrong vs. Kinsell, Craven, affirmed; McRacken vs. Bank of Columbus, no error; Marrill vs. Palmer, Mecklenburg, reversed; American Trust Co., vs. Goode, Mecklenburg, reversed; Baber vs. Hanie, Mecklenburg, no error; Irvin vs. Southern Railway, Forsyth, new trial; State vs. Lawing, Lincoln, reversed; State vs. English, Randolph, no error; Pruett vs. Southern Railway, Cleveland, affirmed; Shuford vs. Cooke, Burke, no error; Montgomery vs. Railroad, Caldwell, reversed; Hooper vs. Hooper, Polk, affirmed.

THE WHITE HOUSE TURKEY DINNER.

President and Family to Face Two Big Gobblers.

Washington, November 26.—President Wilson will have his first Thanksgiving dinner in the White House surrounded by a few friends and all his immediate family except Mrs. Francis Bowes Sayre, who was married yesterday, and is on her honeymoon. Two special turkeys, one from Rhode Island and the other from Kentucky, will be on the White House table.

In the morning the President plans to attend the Pan-American mass in St. Patrick's church, an annual event to which many officials and members of the diplomatic corps go. Resolutions by Protestant clergymen against the President's attendance because of the official atmosphere they contend is thrown about the service had not changed the President's plans so far as was known tonight.

In the afternoon the President may take a turn on the golf links if the weather is favorable.

Most other officials of the administration will dine at their homes here. Vice President Marshall and Mrs. Marshall are expected back from Arizona. Speaker Clark will dine with his family, Secretary Bryan and most of the members of the cabinet also will do that. Secretary Garrison is going to visit his brother in New Jersey and Secretary Redfield to his home in Brooklyn.

South Trimble, clerk of the House of Representatives, sent to the President and each cabinet officer a turkey from his Kentucky farm.

It will be a holiday in all the government offices and clerks who wished to draw in advance upon their salaries have been permitted to do so.

OUTLINES

Figures complide by the Department of Labor show that the ordinary Thanksgiving dinner this year will cost more than it has for the past 25 years.

The Senate Democrats have decided to make currency a party issue. The Republican leaders have declared that their party is not fighting the legislation as is generally supposed.

A bronze tablet was placed in the wall of the Federal building at Richmond, Va., in memory of Jefferson Davis, the only President of the Confederacy, and to mark the place of his office.

Rebels who are near Tampico, Mexico, have sent word to the Federals that unless the gunboat Bravo now guarding the harbor and protecting the city from attack by the rebels, was removed they would fire the oil tanks containing thousands of barrels of oil on the river above the city. Should they do so the entire city and shipping interest would be destroyed.

New York markets: Money on call firm 4 1-2 to 5 per cent., ruling rate 4 3-4, closing bid 3 1-2 to 4 3-4. Spot cotton quiet, middling uplands 13.30, gulf 13.55. No sales. Wheat irregular No. 2 red, 98 1-2 to 100. No. 1 Northern Duluth 98 1-2. Corn steady 82 1-2. Flour steady. Rosin quiet. Turpentine easy.

TO MAKE CURRENCY A PARTY MEASURE

Democrats to Force Bill to Early Vote

NO CHRISTMAS HOLLIDAY

The Republican Leaders Declare That That Party is Not Fighting the Legislation—Sixteen Hours a Day.

Washington, November 26.—Extreme measures were decided upon today by the Democrats of the Senate to force the currency reform bill to an early vote. Determined to relieve the uncertainty in financial circles, the Democrats agreed to make the bill a party measure at once, to have no Christmas recess unless the measure has been passed before the time set for the holiday, and to sit day and night until final action is secured.

These decisions were reached at a conference which began in the morning and was resumed tonight. Senate leaders, working in harmony with President Wilson, decided to sit behind closed doors for the balance of the week, not excepting tomorrow, Thanksgiving Day, until an agreement can be reached that will insure united support for the bill. Actual work on it began tonight. The fight will be transferred to the Senate floor Monday and from that time forward daily sessions will be held from 10 A. M. to 11 P. M. with no recess in prospect except for Christmas day.

"Immediate action on currency legislation is demanded," said Senator Simmons, at the close of the conference, "to relieve the uncertainty that exists throughout the business world. There has been a cessation of activity in many lines of business because Congress has not yet made clear its intention as to currency revision."

"The Senate has no right to hold up the business of the country," said Senator James, another who took part in the conference. "The country demands action at once on currency legislation."

The decision of the Democrats to make the currency bill a party measure surprised and aroused the Republicans.

"This is merely a political move," said Senator Smoot, one of the minority leaders. "It is designed to make it appear that the Republicans are obstructing currency legislation. This is not the case. I am convinced that proceeding in the normal way we would have reached a vote earlier than we will under this forced process. The Democrats who are urging this unwonted industry will have to keep a quorum present. Legislation that is so important as to keep the Senate in session from 13 to 16 hours a day ought to be considered by a full quorum."

Two resolutions adopted by the Democratic conference outlined the most exacting legislative programme attempted in the Senate in recent years. One, presented by Senator

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TO SUSPEND OPERATIONS

On Entire Southern System for Five Minutes Today in Respect to Memory of Finley.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 26.—Operations of every kind on the entire Southern Railway system will be suspended for a period of five minutes at 11 o'clock Eastern time Friday, out of respect to the memory of the late president of the road, W. W. Finley, whose funeral will be held at that hour in Washington. Trains will be brought to a standstill, machinery in all shops shut down, and all telegraph, telephone and signal apparatus remain idle during this period. Orders to this effect were issued here today by Vice President and General Manager E. H. Coapman, of the Southern.

Principal offices of the road will also be closed from 11 o'clock to noon Friday and entrances of important Southern buildings and offices draped in black for a period of 30 days.

CHARGE DISCRIMINATION.

Chicago Naval Training School Only Partly Filled Up.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—Discrimination against the Lake Bluff naval training station was charged today by Congressman Fred A. Britten, of Chicago, here on a visit of inspection to the $4,000,000 institution. Mr. Britten said the Lake Bluff station, while one of the best equipped in the country, had only 675 apprentice seamen under instruction, which is about one-third its capacity.

"There is no reason why recruits from the Middle West should be sent across the country to an inferior station in San Francisco or Norfolk, Va." said Mr. Britten.

"At the next session of Congress, I shall demand that all recruits from the middle and Southern States be sent to the Great Lakes station until it is up to its capacity."

STANFORD TO PENSACOLA.

To Get Yard in Readiness for 750 Marines.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Rear Admiral Homer R. Stanford, chief of the Navy Bureau of yards and docks, has gone to Pensacola, Fla., to get the station there in readiness for the 750 marines who sail from Philadelphia on the transport Prairie tomorrow. The marines will prepare for the advanced base operations in which they will participate early next year at Culebra, Porto Rico and Guantanamo, Cuba.

COST OF YOUR DINNER

Average Expense for Turkey Day Dining.

Department of Labor Announce Cost of Thanksgiving Dinners for Past 25 Years—The Highest of All.

Washington, November 26.—The 1913 Thanksgiving dinner will be the most expensive meal the average American has eaten during the last 25 years. It will cost from 35 to 100 per cent. more than it did ten years ago, and from 15 to 50 per cent. more than any Thanksgiving Day dinner the last six years, according to recently gathered government statistics.

Thousands of turkeys spoiled by having been shipped during the unseasonably warm wave of a week ago; the drought of last Summer, which shortened crop yields, particularly white potatoes; and alleged cold storage combination which Attorney General McReynolds is investigating to find if millions of dozens of eggs and millions of pounds of dairy products have been withheld by middle men to force high prices and the steady soaring of prices generally are among the contributing causes to which economists point.

The great American hen is somewhat responsible for the extraordinarily high price of eggs, according to Department of Agriculture officials. Heat and drought, they say, caused the hens to stop laying sooner than usual.

As to turkey, the rise in price seems to have extended all along the route to the consumer, beginning at the barn yard, where the farmer received an average of 15 cents a pound for his birds—about a half cent more than he got last year. But turkey is now a Thanksgiving bird at all, according to the experts.

"The Lord never intended turkey to be the Thanksgiving food of the country generally," says Dr. Mary E. Pennington, the expert in food research in the Federal Bureau of Chemistry. "Christmas is the time for turkey. Green goose is the Thanksgiving bird and is generally used in Europe where St. Martin's Day is celebrated about this time of year."

The family which turns from turkey to chicken, pork or beef will find prices uniformly advanced. Hens show an average increase of eight cents a pound; pork two to eight cents; rib roasts two to ten cents; sweet potatoes are about the same price as last year, but white potatoes have advanced.

Apples, oranges and grapes are scarce because of a short crop. Cranberries with a normal crop are a little higher than last year. Flour and sugar are uniformly cheaper and butter shows no advance.

IMPERIAL TOBACCO CASE.

Charged With Complete Domination of Local Market.

Morganfield, Ky., Nov. 26.—Complete domination of the local tobacco market by the Imperial Tobacco Co., was charged today by William Elliot, star witness for the prosecution in the trial of the anti-trust case against the Imperial company.

Mr. Elliot declared there is such a strong prejudice in Great Britain against the Stemming District Tobacco Association fomented by the Imperial Tobacco Co., that the association is compelled to keep secret the names of purchasers of tobacco from this district or suffer the possibility of a boycott.

He said that about three-fourths of the prized tobacco of the stemming district had been sold at a price which netted the farmers as much as the price paid by the Imperial company for the small portion which it had purchased. The Imperial company, he said, had paid about seven cents a pound.

Evidence presented this afternoon by the Commonwealth was considered as pointing to community of interests between the Imperial Tobacco Co. and the American Tobacco Co. One witness, Henry P. Barrett, a millionaire tobacco dealer, testified that he formerly was a buyer for the American Tobacco Co., and exhibited cans of smoking tobacco which he claimed are manufactured by the Imperial, but put on the market by both the Imperial and American companies. They are sold at 25 cents in America, he said, while a duty amouting to 10 cents a can is added for the English market. He swore that upon one former occasion after buying a quantity of tobacco for the American he went to Europe and found the same tobacco in the warehouses of the Imperial.

COLLISION OF STEAMERS AT JACKSONVILLE, FLA.

Both Returned to Wharves for Repairs—Nothing Serious.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 26.—The Clyde Line freighter Carib, outward-bound for Boston, rammed the Merchants and Miners' steamer Merrimack late this afternoon as the Merrimack was backing out of her slip, bound for Baltimore. The Carib's bow struck the Merrimack on the port side about 30 feet from the aft rail, crushing in about six plates. The Carib apparently was little damaged. Both vessels put back to the wharves immediately. The Merrimack will have to be repaired before she can proceed.

The accident is credited to the strong ebb tide which carried the Carib against her power. The Carib also remained in port tonight but will probably proceed tomorrow morning.

READ TO GO.

Marines Sail for Philadelphia to Ship for Pensacola.

Boston, November 26.—Two hundred marines, 115 from the Charlestown, and 85 from the Portsmouth, N. H., navy yards, left here today for Philadelphia, where they will board the transport Prairie for Pensacola to await further orders. The men wore full field service uniforms.

The Charlestown detachment was commanded by Capt. Walter L. Hill. Captain Hughes was in command of the company from Portsmouth.

EMERSON'S DEATH SHOCK TO COUNTRY

High Officials of A. C. L. are Here for Funeral.

TO BE HELD THIS AFTERNOON

Relatives and Friends Arrive From Many Places—Coast Line Offices and Engines Draped in Mourning.

The news of the death of Mr. Thos. M. Emerson, president of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad, came as a great shock to his many hundred friends here and throughout the entire country, and several hundred telegrams and cablegrams bearing messages of condolence were received yesterday by the bereaved family while a great many friends from the city called at the home to offer their sympathy.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock from St. John's Episcopal church, and will perhaps be the largest ever held here. The services will be conducted by the rector, Rev. W. E. Cox, assisted by Rev. Dr. William H. Milton, rector of St. James' Episcopal church. The interment will be in the family plat in Oakdale cemetery.

Many Prominent Officials Here.

A large number of prominent railway officials from all over the country will be here for the funeral, many of them having arrived yesterday. Among those who are here are Mr. Henry Walters, of New York, chairman of the board of directors of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company; Mr. Waldo Newcomer and Mr. Michael Jenkins, prominent bankers of Baltimore and members of the directorate of the Atlantic Coast Line; Mr. Alexander Hamilton, first vice president and general counsel of the Atlantic Coast Line, of Petersburg, Va.; Mr. H. L. Borden, secretary of the Atlantic Coast Line, of New York; Mr. W. R. Sullivan, formerly assistant to President Emerson but now of New York; Mr. C. McD. Davis, of Savannah, Ga., general freight agent of the Atlantic Coast Line and a relative of Mr. Emerson; Mr. James Menzies, freight traffic manager of the Atlantic Coast Line, of Savannah, Ga.; Capt. T. W. Slocumb, of Goldsboro, commercial agent of the Atlantic Coast Line and one of the veterans of the service who was with the road when Mr. Emerson came to it in the early days of the system.

Others who are here for the obsequies are Mr. Key Compton, president of the Chesapeake Steamship Company, of Baltimore; Mr. Thomas Wilson, of Sumter, S. C., president of the Northwestern Railroad of South Carolina, and Col. and Mrs. A. H. Slocumb, of Fayetteville.

Many Relatives Arrive.

Many relatives of the family arrived yesterday among these being Dr. Greer Baughman, of Richmond, Va., a cousin of Mrs. Emerson; Mrs. E. P. Boatwright, of Portsmouth, Va., a sister of Mrs. Emerson; Mrs. N. D. Emerson, of New York, a daughter-in-law of Mr. Emerson; Mr. and Mrs. Pembroke Jones, of New York; Mr. R. B. Davis, of Savannah, Ga.

As an expression of the great loss that the Atlantic Coast Line has sustained in the loss of its chief executive the general offices and the union station here were draped in mourning yesterday afternoon as well as all the passenger engines leaving the city. The branch offices in Richmond, Va., Norfolk, Va., Petersburg, Va., Rocky Mount, Florence, S. C., Charleston, S. C., Savannah, Ga., Waycross, Ga., Montgomery, Ala., Jacksonville, Fla., and Tampa, Fla., will also be draped for a period of 30 days. The tug boats at Norfolk, Va., belonging to the railroad, will have their flags at half mast also for 30 days. All of the passenger engines will bear the dark insignia of mourning during the next month.

Prominent in Masonic Circles.

Mr. Emerson was prominent in Masonic circles, and the funeral will be attended by a large delegation from the differtnt Masonic lodges of the city.

On account of the death and funeral the annual Thanksgiving tournament of the Cape Fear Country Club, which Mr. Emerson helped to organize and of which he was a charter member and former president, has been postponed until a later date.

No Action As to Successor.

Practically all of the higher officials of the railroad together with Mr. Emerson had been on a tour of inspection of the road following the annual meeting of the board of directors in Richmond, Va., eight days ago, and on account of the suddenness of his passing they were too greatly overcome with grief and too wearied yesterday to take any steps towards even temporary arrangements for filling his position as the president of the system. Mr. Alexander Hamilton, of Petersburg, Va., is the first vice president, and is, therefore, the ranking executive officer for the present.

On account of his long service as well as his splendid business ability the railroad suffers a heavy loss in his death, and many expressions of appreciation came from the officers of the road yesterday. He was widely known, and at the home yesterday there was a constant stream of messages of condolence and sympathy from friends all over the country.

Speculation as to Successor.

There is much speculation locally and throughout the territory traversed by the Coast Line, as to who will succeed Mr. Emerson as president of the system. Several officials of the road were mentioned on the streets yesterday, in connection with the office. There is nothing authentic, as the matter has not been considered by the directors, according to a statement last night by one of the officials.

The man most prominently mentioned as the possible successor of

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TURKEY DAY GAMES ON THE GRIDIRON

Virginia-Carolina Game of Much Interest

WASHINGTON & LEE VS. A. & M.

Game of Greatest Interest in the South Will be Played at Austin, Texas, Between Notre Dame and Texas.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 26.—Chief in interest among the football games which tomorrow will mark the end of the season in the South will be that between the University of Texas and Notre Dame at Austin. While Texas always has put a strong eleven in the field, it is agreed by gridiron experts that the team this season prooably is the best that ever has represented the Lone Star State. In view of the fact that Notre Dame this year has vanquished many of the strongest elevens in the East, among them the Army and Pennsylvania State, it generally is believed that Texas has little chance of winning.

Of scarcely less importance will be the annual clash of Virginia and North Carolina at Richmond, Va. In the light of games played so far this year Virginia should emerge victorious over its traditional rival, but recently North Carolina has been working desperately to improve its play, in order to give the men from Charlottesville the battle of their careers.

Other important games in the South tomorrow will be:

Clemson vs. Georgia Tech at Atlanta.

Sewanee vs. Vanderbilt at Nashville.

South Carolina vs. Citadel at Columbia, S. C.

Tulane vs. Arkansas at New Orleans.

Tennessee vs. Kentucky State at Lexington, Ky.

V. M. I. vs. V. P. I. at Roanoke, Va.

Texas Aggies vs. L. S. U. at Houston.

Washington & Lee vs. North Carolina Aggies at Norfolk, Va.

Wake Forest vs. Davidson at Charlotte, N. C.

New York, Nov. 26.—The old custom of playing the anal game of the football season on Thanksgiving Day is still adhered to by a few Eastern colleges and as a result several interyarsity contests are scheduled for tomorrow. The feature game is the meeting of Pennsylvania and Cornell at Franklin Field, Philadelphia. Both Cornell and Pennsylvania have been defeated or held to tie games several times this year, yet the success of their seasons will hinge to a certain degree upon the outcome of the final contest of the schedule.

The Quakers are favored to continue the annual triumph over Cornell, although it is conceded that the game will be hard fought.

Next in importance is the contest between the Carlisle Indians and Brown at Providence. Brown is not likely to do more than hold the Red Men in reasonable check.

Other games scheduled in the East and South include Bucknell-Washington and Jefferson, at Washington, Pa.; Holy Cross-Georgetown, at Washington, D. C.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—First in importance of the few Thanksgiving Day football games in the Middle West this year is to take place at Austin, Texas, where Notre Dame's fast and powerful eleven with more than a visionary claim to high honors will play the University of Texas. It is doubtful whether the Texans can frame a defense capable of stopping the Hoosier eleven which trampled over the Army and Penn. State teams. Syracuse has a chance to redeem itself and Eastern football generally in the game with St. Louis University. The latter eleven, however, is not of high class.

McDOUGALD

A. & M. Team's Right End in Thanksgiving Game With Washington & Lee.

Case and Western Reserve meet in annual battle at Cleveland.

West Point, N. Y., Nov. 26.—Except for the final signal drill tomorrow the Army is ready for its big gridiron battle with the Navy Saturday. The team got a snappy signal practice this afternoon in secret.

Just who Coach Daly will start against the Middies behind the Army line is unknown. Present indications point to Hoge, Benedict and Hodgson as the most likely combination. Leo Leary, Harvard's end coach, arrived today and worked out with the Army mentors. The Army squad will leave here for New York at 3:30 Friday morning.

Cambridge, Mass., Nov. 25.—A proposal to have the annual Harvard-Yale football game played on Thanksgiving Day instead of on the Saturday preceding, has been communicated unofficially to the Harvard football management. The proposition comes from Yale officials and is said to have found favor at New Haven.

The Harvard authorities are not in favor of the change, it is understood, but willingness has been expressed by some of them to assist Yale and Princeton to lighten the end of their football schedules.

At present Princeton meets Harvard and Yale on consecutive Saturdays and Yale has only a week between the Princeton and Harvard games.

A conference of Harvard, Yale and Princeton managers may be held to consider this problem.

RIDDICK

A. & M. Team's Right Half Back in Thanksgiving Game With Washington & Lee.

TENNEY

A. & M. Team's Full Back in Thanksgiving Game With Washington and Lee.

MAY TAKE OLD JOB.

Joe Tinker May Play Shortstop for Chi Town.

Chicago, November 26.—John Evers, manager of the Chicago Nationals, will try to have Joe Tinker, deposed leader of the Cincinnati baseball team, brought back here to play his old position at shortstop.

Evers today said this much, but would not intimate what sort of an offer he would make for Tinker.

Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 26.—Joe Rivers, of Los Angeles, and Leach Cross, of New York, lightweights, will box a 20-round match at Vernon arena tomorrow. They have met twice in no decision bouts in New York, and this matech, it is expected, will determine which shall fight the champion lightweight Willie Ritchie, on New Year's day.

DOYLE ARRESTED.

In Connection With Confession of Murderer of Detective.

Trinidad, Colo., Nov. 26.—E. L. Doyle, secretary-treasurer of District No. 15, United Mine Workers of America, was arrested today by military authorities after an inquiry in which Doyle was questioned concerning the whereabouts of an organizer being sought in connection with the confession of Louis Zancanelli.

Zancanelli has confessed to having assassinated George W. Belcher, a detective in this city November 20th, and swears that he was hired to commit the murder.

Denver, Colo., Nov. 26.—National and district officers of the United Mine Workers of America now in Colorado in connection with the coal strike, today disclaimed knowledge of a conspiracy in connection with the killing of Detective G. W. Belcher.

A conspiracy was charged in the confession of Louis Zancanelli.

READY FOR GAME.

Army and Navy About Ready for Saturday Tie-up.

Annapolis, Md., November 26.—While the Academy band furnished accompaniment to the songs that will boom across the field at the Polo Grounds in New York toward the Army hosts on Saturday, the Navy football team and scrubs went through the last practice on the home grounds this afternoon. The work was light and no scrimmaging was done.

There will be light exercise by the squad tomorrow before leaving in the afternoon for New York.

A BRONZE TABLET TO JEFFERSON DAVIS.

Placed in Wall of Federal Building in Richmond.

Richmond, Va., November 26.—A bronze tablet to Jefferson Davis, President of the Confederacy and once Secretary of War of the United States, whose name was chiselled off Cabin John Bridge, Washington, by Federal authority, today was placed in the wall of the Federal building here, with the consent of the National government. It is to mark the location of his offices as President of the Confederate States of America.

JOHN W. THOMAS IS SERIOUSLY ILL.

Is President of Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis.

Nashville, Tenn., Nov. 26.—That John W. Thomas, Jr., president of the Nashville, Chattanooga & St. Louis Railway, who seevral days ago suffered an attack of pleural pneumonia, has been critically ill, became known here today. Physicians tonight, however, said that he has shown much improvement in the last few hours and is now practically out of danger.

BEACHEY TO WASHINGTON.

Will Tell Navy Department the Cause of Accident.

San Diego, Cal., Nov. 26.—Lincoln Beachey, aviator, received a telegram today from the Secretary of the Navy, expressing the latter's willingness to hear and consider the aviator's views as to the cause of the deaths of Lieutenants Ellington and Kell[illegible] at North Island last Monday. Beachey will start for Washington tomorrom.

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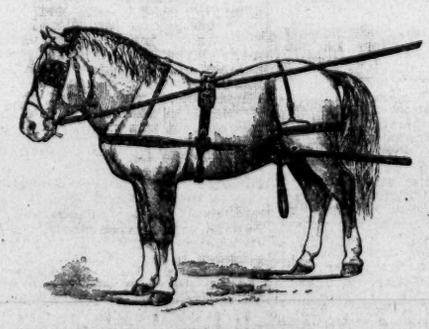

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EARLE MACK IS RE-ELECTED

Raleigh Sells Bonds at 101—N. Glenn Williams Dead—Parkton Negro Penned—Insurance Agents.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., November 26.—The Raleigh League Baseball Association has re-elected J. C. Ellington president and E. E. Broughton secretary and treasurer; also Earle Mack as manager of the team. The financial showing for the past season shows $19,994 receipts and a balance in the bank after paying all expenses of $414. However, the association owes $1,000 borrowed money and will borrow $1,000 additional in order to make improvements for the next year, the indications being that at the opening of the next season there will be a debt of $2,000. The stockholders are very well satisfied with the results of the past season financially and the purpose is to put out a pennant winning team for the next season.

Raleigh Bonds Sold.

The Raleigh $125,000 bond issue for water and other city improvements, under the direction of the new city commission, sold last afternoon for 101, the entire issue bringing $127,210. The purchaser was R. M. Grant & Co., New York. There were fifteen bidders ,each of them offering to take the entire issue and all being above par.

Parkton Negro in Pen.

The negro youth, Dave Monroe, who criminally assaulted the little five-year-old daughter of Dr. D. S. Currie, at Parkton yesterday, was committed to the State's prison this morning for safe keeping, to await the trial. Public indignation ran so high in the Parkton neighborhood that mob violence was feared. The prisoner was brought here by Deputy Sheriff W. C. Britt and the commitment to the State's prison was on an order from Governor Craig. The prisoner is a mere boy in knee trousers.

N. Glenn Williams Dead.

A telegram came this morning to Secretary of State J. Bryan Grimes bringing the news of the death of N. Glenn Williams, which occurred at his home at Williams, Yadkin county, last night at 11:30 o'clock, of apoplexy. He had been in apparently better health than usual for some time. Mr. Williams was especially well known throughout the State and was held in high esteem by many friends. He leaves a widow and several children. Colonel Grimes and Mr. Williams were schoolmates and life-long friends.

Insurance Hearing.

State Commissioner of Insurance James R. Young gave a special hearing this afternoon in the cases of three life insurance agents, John Askew, J. O. Allen and E. G. Reddish, of Raleigh, who are charged with conduct that works a forfeiture of their licenses to do insurance business in this State. They represent The Durham Mutual Life Insurance Co., and it is charged that they have been maliciously abusing The Gate City Life Co., of Greensboro. Commissioner Young will announce his decision later.

GAS FOR WILSON.

Now Seems to be Almost an Accomplished Fact—Bonds for Sale.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., Nov. 26.—With a good attendance the Wilson chamber of commerce through its board of governors unanimously endorsed the report of the board of public works in the matter of a proposed gas plant for Wilson last night. More than two years ago the chamber of commerce began the agitation for "Gas for Wilson" and now it seems to be almost an accomplished fact.

Another item of interest in matters municipal is the fact that the board of city commissioners will offer for sale next Tuesday the issue of bonds for municipal improvements amounting to $160,000. It is hoped that the sale will go through this time and after all of the delays the town will have the money for the re-building of the electric light plant and the improvements of the streets.

In the past few months a growing sentiment is noted in favor of a change from municipal ownership of the light and power plant and permitting the admission to Wilson of the hydro-electric power company, but the sale of the bonds, if accomplished, will settle the matter for some time.

FOR GROWING TOBACCO.

Permanent Organization Affected at Enthusiastic Meeting.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fayetteville, N. C., Nov. 26.—At an enthusiastic meeting of about 100 citizens of Fayetteville and Cumberland county here last night, a majority being from the rural districts, a permanent organization of the Cape Fear Tobacco Growers' Association was affected, following addresses on tobacco culture and marketing by Mr. E. J. Ragsdale, of Fuquay Springs; Mr. Blankenship and Mr. G. T. Kearsley, of the "Never Fail Farm," Pine View, and Mr. R. R. Slate, of South Boston, Va. Mr. John G. Shaw also spoke, urging co-operation between the chamber of commerce and the farmers. Fifty members of the organization were enrolled, and the prospects indicate that considerable tobacco will be grown in this county the coming year. The following permanent officers of the association were elected:

President—Dr. J. V. McGougan.
Secretary—J. W. Judge.
Directors—T. J. Purdie, J. M. Owen, Chas. L. Nunally, Robert Taylor, S. W. Cooper. Dr. J. V. McGougan, ex-officio; J. W. Judge, ex-officio.

SITE FOR HIGH SCHOOL.

Kinston Will Erect New Building at Cost of $50,000.

Kinston, N. C., November 26.—The local school trustees have selected as the site of a new high school building, which will be one of the finest in the State, the present site of a Grammar school house on East Lenoir street. The selection was made after a number of citizens had appeared before the board and protested against purchasing Rhodes' Hill, a beautiful spot in Northwest Kinston, which was regarded as inconveniently located. General satisfaction followed the announcement that the Lenoir street property would be used. About $50,000 will be expended in the new high school.

CRESSWELL-BULLOCK.

Raleigh Couple Married in Wilson Baptist Church.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., Nov. 26.—At the First Baptist church this morning at 11 o'clock, Miss Emily R. Bullock, of Raleigh, became the wife of Mr. Jas. Pope Creswell, of Raleigh. Only relatives and a few intimate friends were present. The vows were taken before the pastor of the church, Rev. T. W. Chambliss. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal couple left for a trip to Northern points.

WAKE FOREST-DAVIDSON TODAY

Baptist Eleven Better Prepared Than for Any Previous Game of the Season—Special Train.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wake Forest, N. C., November 26.—With over a week of hard practice since the Carolina game, and the players observing pledges strictly, the Wake Forest eleven is better prepared to meet Davidson Thanksgiving, in Charlotte, than for any previous game this season. Several who were injured in the Washington and Lee and Gallaudet games have almost entirely recovered. The following eleven will probably be selected to meet the Davidson eleven on that day: Carter, (Captain) center; Oliver and Camp, guards; Moore and Blackman, or Powell, tackles; Harris, Rankin or Horne, ends; Stringfield, Trust, Savage and Daniels, in the backfield; Cuthreli, Bell, Lee, Billings, White, Stallings, Shepard, Duffy, substitutes. Coach Thompson and Assistant Coach Robertson have worked hard to put out a winning team.

Several of the defeats are probably attributable to the fact that the men have not been observing their pledges. With strict training and hard practice the team should put up a winning fight Thanksgiving.

A special train will leave here at 4:30 A. M., returning leaving Charlotte at 12 midnight. It is expected that about 200 of the student body will accompany the team.

SHORTEN PLAYING SEASON.

Virginia League Elects Officers and Tends to Business.

Newport News, Va., Nov. 26.—J. O. Boatwright, of Danville, was re-elected president of the Virginia League for the year 1914 at a meeting of the directors of that organization held here today. Z. Woodall, of Richmond, was elected secretary-treasurer, and J. D. Elliott, of Roanoke, vice president. The directors decided to shorten the playing season one week and set Thursday, April 16th, as the opening date. The season will close September 9th. No action was taken relative to a schedule and only matters of a routine nature were acted upon. It was decided to equip each park with turnstiles and to have separate gates for passes and women. Directors for the coming year were elected as follows:

W. B. Bradley, Richmond; R. J. Charles, Newport News; Elmore Heins, Roanoke; F. D. Lawrence, Portsmouth; Dr. J. R. McCrary, Norfolk; and R. T. Wilson, Petersburg.

INNOCENT NEGRO CLUBBED.

Ambushers Get Wrong Man and Nearly Kill Him.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., November 26.—Jasper Pool, age 25, a negro farm hand, will probably die as the result of a severe beating received at Hines' Junction, two miles from here. The assailants are believed to have been John and Kit Willerby and Joel Williams, two of whom have been arrested. An uncle of the trio had been tantalized by negro youths, and they laid in waiting for the tormenters. Pool, mistaken for another in the darkness, was the innocent victim of the ambush. He was set upon with clubs and narrowly escaped being beat to death. Both jawbones were broken and he sustained other injuries of a serious nature, so that his recovery is not expected.

DEAF, BLIND, NOW HOMELESS.

Fire Destroys Residence of Aged Confederate Soldier.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., November 26.—News reaches this city of the destruction by fire of the home of Benjamin Rouse, an aged veteran of the Confederacy, near Seven Springs. Mr. Rouse, 84 years of age, is totally blind and deaf. With him in the house when it was set on fire by a defective flue, were his wife and a 14-year-old daughter, while other sons and daughters were away. The girl led the old man out. Before neighbors could arrive the dwelling was in a mass of flames, and it, with all the contents, was destroyed.

Neighbors took the unfortunate veteran and his family in for shelter, and friends here are soliciting funds for them.

NORMAN HACKETT AT WILSON.

Addresses Book Club—Thanksgiving to be a Gala Day.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., November 26.—Thanksgiving Day is to be a gala day in Wilson and two games of basketball are scheduled for the day. In the afternoon Wilson High School will meet the Trinity College eleven on the public school grounds and Thursday night the Atlantic Christian College eleven plays Trinity College team in the Liberty tobacco warehouse.

This afternoon a delighted audience heard Norman Hackett in an address delivered before the Wilson Book Club and a large list of invited friends. Mr. Hackett spoke on the "Life and Work of O. Henry." The lecture was delivered in the auditorium of the Atlantic Christian College.

CHARGED WITH PERJURY.

Tobacco Man Alleged to Have Sworn Falsely in Divorce Suit.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Tarboro, N. C., Nov. 26.—As a peculiar ending to a peculiar divorce case, Mr. C. H. Haynes is now held for the next term of Superior court on the charge of perjury. He instituted divorce proceedings against his wife, Nellie Haynes, and in his complaint alleged that no children had been born to the union. Later Mrs. Haynes filed a cross-bill, contradicting the material facts of the original complaint, and, at the October term of court, her testimony was substantiated and she was granted an absolute divorce, Mr. Haynes not appearing at the trial. Now it is held that the husband swore falsely to his complaint, and must appear at the next term of court to answer the charge. He gave bond.

AMBULANCE CORPS DISBANDED.

Dr. W. C. Horton Goes to Medical Division of the Guard.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., November 26.—The ambulance corps of Raleigh, is ordered disbanded by Adjutant General Laurence W. Young, of the North Carolina National Guard, because of failure to measure up to the standard and comply with regulations as to drill attendance and other duties. Dr. W. C. Horton, who organized and has been captain of the company the past year, is to be assigned to the medical division of the Guard.

SWEPT TO MOUNTAIN TOPS

Wave of Religious Enthusiasm Marks Opening Session of Western North Carolina Conference.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Charlotte, N. C., Nov. 26.—The Western North Carolina Conference opened today in Trinity church, this being the 24th annual session.

Bishop James H. McCoy, of Birmingham, is presiding and Bishop John C. Kilgo was present as a visitor. The characters of the eleven presiding elders and of the preachers sustaining the superannuated relation were passed. The reports of the Presiding Elders showed rapid growth of the church the past year. The presiding Bishop will deliver the Thanksgiving sermon tomorrow morning.

A wave of enthusiasm which swept the assembly to a mountain peak of religious enthusiasm was the feature of the opening session of the Conference.

It was the stirring portrayal given by Rev. Plato T. Durham, presiding elder of the Winston district, which was the immediate cause. So great was the rejoicing that the programme was superseded while ministers and laymen crowded about the pulpit to clasp one another's hands and many were moved to tears and song. Bishop Kilgo, who had started the other revival, then took charge of the service.

"I've been the nominal leader of as brave a band of circuit riders as this Conference has ever known," said Rev. Mr. Durham in making his report. He told how three churches had been dedicated and one in 30 minutes had reduced its indebtedness from $40,000 to $15,000. The district supports five missionaries and paid $2,500 above its assessment.

Then Mr. Durham told of the revival movement which had swept the district. He declared that it had all the earmarks and power of the ancient days of Methodism. Dr. Kilgo had gone there to conduct a service at Centenary church "and from his soul in some mysterious fashion there was lighted the fire of God among us." He declared the scenes that followed when preachers spoke on the streets and young men and maidens sang the praises of God as they went to their homes. Then came the memorable District Conference with preachers at the mourners' bench seeking a blessing. Mr. Durham himself had preached 112 extra sermons since June 1st. "It has been the hardest and the sweetest experience of my life. I believe we are swinging back into a zone of apostolic fire. If the college of bishops will lead us, we will shake this old earth again."

As Mr. Durham ceased speaking, Dr. Kilgo began to sing, "Children of the Heavenly King, as We Journey, Let Us Sing." Almost instantly the members were on their feet, clasping each other's hands, and many were in tears. Mr. Durham entered the pulpit enclosure and as he clasped Dr. Kilgo's hand the latter embraced him. A few minutes later the bishops did likewise. When the song was completed Bishop Kilgo began another, "When I Can Read My Title Clear to Mansions in the Skies." This was sung through.

"Brethren, I've long since learned," said Bishop McCoy, "that when the Holy Ghost takes charge of a meeting, I get out of the way with my little programme."

A young man began singing, "I'm Bound for the Promised Land," and the bishop yielded with a smile. Later he asked Bishop Kilgo to take charge of the service. The latter spoke for half an hour with feeling of the Church's great mission and its great opportunity in church extension. It was a call to service.

WILSON WAS FOUND GUILTY OF ASSAULT.

Will Spend a Term in the Penitentiary As a Result.

Charlestown, W. Va., Nov. 26.—E. Graham Wilson, on trial for an alleged assault upon Miss Kate Turner, was today found guilty. The jury recommended that Wilson be confined in the penitentiary which saves him from hanging as under the law, the court has no alternative when a verdict of guilty is without the recommendation.

The court granted counsel for Wilson until December 10th to prepare their bills of exceptions and argue for a new trial.

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Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective Sept. 14, 1913. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, ! 3:40 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:20 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:15 A.M.
No. 51, * 5:35 A.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charlestan, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.**	No. 50, *12:20 A.M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65, ! 6:25 P.M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. **Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.**	No. 49, * 6:15 P.M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A.M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 52, * 8:05 P.M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P.M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, **All Florida Points**, Columbia, Asheville and the West. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.**	No. 54, * 1:40 P.M.
No. 62, * 3:25 P.M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63, *12:50 P.M.
No. 59, * 6:30 P.M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A.M.
No. 42, * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. **Pullman Brailer, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.**	No. 41, 10:00 A.M.
No. 57, ! 7:00 P.M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Conway and Intermediate stations.	No. 58, ! 9:45 A.M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. b Sunday only. a Daily except Monday

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W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager. T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent.
WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

IN EFFECT OCTOBER 6th, 1913.

Wrightsville Beach and Inter-Winter Park, Wrightsville, mediate Points.

EASTBOUND. Leave Front and Princess for Winter Park.	EASTBOUND. Leave Front and Princess for Wrightsville	EASTBOUND. Leave Front and Princess for Beach.	WESTBOUND. Leave Winter Park for Wilmington.	WESTBOUND. Leave Wrightsville for Wilmington.	WESTBOUND. Leave Beach for Wilmington.
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SPECIAL FOR SUNDAYS.

Leave Front and Princess Streets every half hour, from 2:00 to 5:00 P. M
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! Sundays only.
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The Burgaw Branch

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Steamship "Cherokee," Mon., Nov. 24, 1913.
Steamship "Navahoe," Mon., Dec. 1, 1913.

Wilmington to New York.
Steamship "Cherokee," Sat., Nov. 29, 1913.
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SEABOARD
Air Line Railway
Schedule Effective April 27th, 1913.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON:

No. 19—5 A. M., arrive Hamlet; 9:00 A. M. Leave Hamlet, 9:20 A. M.; arrive Charlotte, 12:10 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with trains Nos. 4 for Raleigh, Norfolk, Richmond and All Points North, and with No. 1 for Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa and All Points South. At Monroe with train No. 29, for Atlanta.

DAILY SLEEPER ON NO. 19 TRAIN FOR CHARLOTTE, OPEN FOR OCCUPANCY AT 10 O'CLOCK P. M.

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No. 20—12:10 A. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.

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Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m.
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m.
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:55 p.m.
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THE WILMINGTON STAR CO.

Thursday, November 27, 1913.

The coal bill and the currency bill are the same old bills.

This is Thanksgiving Day. Don't make it thanks grubbing day.

Growing in, growing out and growing all around. That's Wilmington.

"Our fight is just," says Mrs. Pankhurst. Just as rough as it can be.

"What builds up a city?" inquires a contemporary. That's easy. It's men.

Look to Wilmington and also look at Wilmington. She is going to keep on delivering the goods.

A woman saves her money till she sees what she wants. A man spends his and hasn't got it when he sees what he wants.

Juarez has as many falls as a North Carolinian who continues to get his from odiriferous distributing points in Ole Virginy.

People sometimes get tired of "home rule" because it often happens that home rule is something awful. It depends on who does the home ruling.

Mr. Carnegie's latest advice is don't hoard your millions." We never have done so and he has our word for it that we never will.

Colonel Roosevelt is spending a while in Chile. It is doubted, however, whether he will have cold feet when he gets home for the campaign next year.

The candidate who wants to run will have to let people know how he stands. If he is not sure what he stands for it will be a sign that it is the office he is running for.

Is there any special demand in North Carolina for any one man? If there is he is sure to be elected. If he expects to create the demand he is taking chances in offering himself to the people.

The fact that dealings in stocks have fallen off may mean that stock jobbing in New York is dull, but it also may mean that suckers have grown tired of taking the bait. There are times when the public makes up its mind to quit getting soaked by dabbling in watered stocks.

The time has come for people to begin to peer into the shop windows. They are thinking about shopping early on account of what will be here before you know it. Get your windows ready and prepare your advertising so you can get your share of the holiday trade.

The cold storage people buy when products are cheap and store them away till the supply is less and the price is high. Some of us salt down our money in land and hold it for a rise. Traders of all kinds are doing that, and unless they combine to take advantage of buyers it would seem to be as difficult to reach one class as it is any class which buys to hold for a profit.

Colonel Roosevelt's autobiography probably contains another personally-related story of his having killed a Spaniard during the Spanish-American war. Some of the soldiers have stated that the Spaniard wasn't facing the Colonel and naturally was shot in the back, but if that isn't true, the Colonel's autobiography ought to contain a surgeon's certificate showing that the enemy had to be shot because he was coming on istead of running away when the Colonel "pulled down" on him, as they say in South Carolina in describing gun play.

The Jacksonville Board of Trade has established an agricultural and market bureau as a part of its activities. The government is glad enough to lend the aid of its experts, because more can be accomplished when the government has the co-operation of an organization composed of business men. The Jacksonville Times-Union tells us that the first thing to be done by the new bureau is to study the present development of agriculture and its possibilities for greater development. That is a powerful resource to work upon, and when the people of a city and its back country realize it a great work will be accomplished.

PRESIDENT EMERSON OF THE COAST LINE.

Again the South loses at the hand of death, and it is a severe loss that comes immediately home to Wilmington. The Star yesterday morning chronicled the death of Mr. T. M. Emerson, president of the Atlantic Coast Line, and certainly his home city was not prepared to receive the shock that the sudden death of one of its foremost men and greatly esteemed residents naturally caused, when it became known that Mr. Emerson had passed away after such a brief illness. We heard with anxiety that he had returned home on account of indisposition, but little was it realized that a few hours would bring grief and calamity in a double portion to his family, his friends and his community.

It is of President Emerson, the railroad man, that we speak in this instance, but it is hardly possible to estimate him at his true worth, for that has long been specially recognized throughout the South and in railroad circles all over the United States. There were few better known railroad officials in this country, and especially were high qualities and qualifications combined in him. In Mr. Emerson a lofty character dominated his marked ability, fine equipment, graduated training and long experience in railroad service and management. Though a native of Ohio, he came South when quite a young man and we happened to be in the community where he began at the bottom round and climbed upward from the very start. In every position entrusted to him he made good. He won promotion because of his efficiency and that was the index to his peculiar ability to meet all the higher duties that came to him throughout his career.

We have known Mr. Emerson for 25 years and those who knew him well can testify to his unvarying and unostentatious friendship. Sturdiness was one of the elements of his nature and no emergency found him without the equipois to meet it and cope with it successfully. He was naturally urbane and positive, and system and attentiveness to his duties was what guided him in the tasks that fell to his lot. He filled every position with such marked ability that when a man was needed for a higher place and greater responsibilities he was distinctly available.

Mr. Emerson was pre-eminently a railroad man by choice, by training and by experience, and as he knew the business and always had knowledge of the operations and possibilities of his line, he was able to guardedly take all the steps in its progress and development. He was not only alert but was enterprising and progressive. None have done more to develop the opportunities and possibilities of the Atlantic Coast Line than has Mr. Emerson in his knowledge of traffic and his capacity as an executive. He took in the whole scope of railroad operations, conditions and management, and certainly no Southern railway system has been so fortunate in securing for itself men of such a high type of ability as the staff of officials who have helped to make the Atlantic Coast Line the exemplar of Southern railroad management.

The Atlantic Coast Line is doing a great work for the South, and no official connected with it was more earnestly interested in all its progressive undertakings than President Emerson. In the day of his best service and greatest usefulness, his death can but be regarded as a calamity to the South Atlantic States whose resources are wonderfully responding to the plans of the Atlantic Coast Line for their development. For a leader in that progress to be called away is to be deplored in the midst of the heartfelt grief that Mr. Emerson's death has caused in his family circle and in this community of his best endeavors.

The sympathy which goes out to his immediate family and the official circle of which he was the head is broader than that of his home city, but none is so deep and sincere than that which is felt where he was known best.

THE PORT AUTHORITIES' CONVENTION.

Nothing could so emphasize the importance with which the port of Wilmington is regarded in this country than the fact that the National Association of Port Authorities of the United States should send an official representative to Wilmington to secure representation of this port at the second annual convention of the association to be held at New Orleans December 9th, 10th and 11th. Neither could more conspicuous recognition of the maritime importance of the South be manifested than in the selection of the port of New Orleans as the place for holding the association's second convention.

Mr. Alexander R. Smith, secretary of the National Association of Port Authorities, with headquarters at 43 West 39th street, New York City, was in Wilmington yesterday and gave The Star the honor of a call on account of its interest in port development and because of its efforts to aid in promoting the maritime interests of this country. He was on a mission of great importance to North Carolina's port and spent yesterday in getting in touch with those particularly identified with the port. He came to urge Wilmington to send at least one representative to the convention at New Orleans.

We are sure a better thing could not be done than for this port to get in touch with the work of the association which Secretary Smith represents. It is National in scope and is more closely identified with port efficiency and progress than any other organization in the United States. There are many valuable and important associations, collateral in purpose but this one is devoting its attention to port development—the port efficiency that means as much for commerce as the steamship service that must use the ports before there can be any possible development in the ocean carrying business of the United States. There must not only be ports but ports with efficient terminals possessing economic facilities for loading and unloading cargoes.

The Star has often laid emphasis upon port efficiency, and in urging that Wilmington be represented at New Orleans, Mr. Smith emphasizes the necessity for the ports to get in touch with the organization which is working to that end. The association has no port favorites, but has a Nation-wide purpose in developing the Nation's commerce. It has no selfish motive, but its one aim is to promote the efficiency of all ports as the best means of building up the Nation's commerce. The port of Wilmington would be looking forward to have a representative at the New Orleans convention and it would be evidence that the port considers itself a factor in the Nation's commerce, as it is the fourth cotton port of the United States. The end of this season will show that Wilmington will still hold that position along with its competitors.

As familiar as is Mr. Smith with the ports and their commerce, he expressed surprise and gratification at the possibilities of the Cape Fear ocean gateway and the commercial achievements of the port. Nevertheless, he says the opportunities have only begun to broaden up for this and other Southern ports. He is one of the very best authorities on that subject, for he has had a very wide experience in maritime matters. He went to sea as a boy for several years in American ships, was connected with the United States Steamship Inspection Service at New York for a dozen years, and wrote the report on shipbuilding for the United States census bureau in 1900.

In 1894 Mr. Smith became interested in New York's canals as secretary of a committee composed of representatives of the great commercial organizations throughout the State, formed to secure the enlargement of the State's canals, on which $130,000,000 is now being spent by the State. In 1898 Governor Black appointed a temporary Commerce Commission, of which Mr. Smith was a member. It made its final report to Governor Roosevelt in 1900, one of its chief recommendations being State canal terminals—places where freight carried upon the canals could be loaded and unloaded and temporarily stored. In 1909 the New York Legislature appointed the Barge Canal Terminal Commission, of which Mr. Smith was secretary, and with which commission he made a tour of European countries in 1910, studying port control, ownership and administration, wharf and terminal facilities, belt railways and related matters. The commission made its final report to the Legislature of 1911, recommending an expenditure of $19,800,000 for canal terminals, of which the people approved and for which that year the State bonded itself, which work is now nearing completion.

Mr. Smith was also for five years superintendent of the New York Maritime Exchange and has long been publicly identified with all matters pertaining to maritime commerce and river, harbor and port development. It is hoped he will succeed in having Wilmington represented at the New Orleans convention.

THANKSGIVING DAY.

This is a grateful Nation's Thanksgiving Day, appointed according to the custom of a God-serving people and emphasized by the proclamations of the President of the United States and the Governors of the different States. Wilmington and North Carolina are in sympathy with this National sense of gratitude to the giver of all good gifts and the dispenser of the blessings of all peoples. It is fit, therefore, that the observances of the day should be participated in by the people of Wilmington.

We have no doubt the sentiment rests deeply down in the hearts of our people outside the form, but it is not out of place to remind our people of the solemn part they should take in expressing gratitude for all the good things that a fortunate people enjoy in this land of liberty and prosperity. We should not give up the day to holiday pastimes and frivolities, but remember in earnestness that the fitest observance of Thanksgiving Day is to be thankful and give thanks first of all.

The scarcity of beef cattle and sheep and the consequent high price of meat has created another great opportunity for Southern farmers. Opportunities on the farm are piling up yearly.

CURRENT COMMENT.

We are afraid that if Mr. Glenn will look closely into the situation he will come to the conclusion that if he enters the Senatorial race he will have both Senators to fight.—Durham Herald.

Things in this world are so constituted that there is but rarely a gain without a corresponding loss somewhere. The free listing of dressed meats is just beginning to bring into this country shipments of beef from Argentina and Australia, but already London dealers, we are told, are complaining of an increasing scarcity of supply and a tendency towards advanced prices. How and why this should be so is not difficult to understand. Our change in tariff policy in the matter of meats and food animals does not affect the sources of production one whit, one way or the other. It simply enables us to draw upon fields of supply heretofore closed to us, but open to other countries. Naturally in proportion as our demands upon these fields increase, in just that proportion will the supply be available for consumption in other countries diminish; and as the available supply goes down, prices will go up. In other words, whatever we benefit from free meats in reduction of prices or prevention of rise on prices is and must be the measure of the injury inflicted thereby upon other countries. Our gain is bound to be Europe's loss. It couldn't well be otherwise.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

ADVERTISING WILMINGTON—SUBCONSCIOUSLY.

To the Editor of The Star:

In view of the recent efforts of the Commercial Club and other organizations to promote the city of Wilmington, I want to say a few words.

Strange as it may seem, the greatest results of advertising come from that form of publicity which is in the shape of individual conversation. Yet, when it is thoroughly understood, its power is never denied by any thinking person. On the other hand, however, it is seldom practiced to its rightful extent.

It is a well known fact that the victory of an army is not won by its commanders, by its captains, majors, or colonels. It is the concerted action of the privates, under the skilful direction of their officers.

Shortly after the Spanish-American war, one of the popular weeklies of this country published a full page cartoon or sketch, entitled "The Hero of Manila Bay." Naturally, one thought it was George Dewey. Seeing that it was not the Admiral, one thought it would be the gunners, or the steam engineer. Not so; it was the man in the hold, who, shirtless, perspiration covered, was throwing coal with all his might into a seething furnace. Without this man, the engines would not have run.

Still you hear the young men of the city, and others, says "Well, I don't own any property in Wilmington—I'm just here working on a salary for the Coast Line—or for Jones & Co." and so on. This idea is wrong. There is no phase of the city's improvement which would not benefit that young man, even though he be but a salaried clerk. Last year, a handsome moving picture theatre was built here. Of course, it was built for the primary purpose of financially bettering its owners—but, didn't it prove a help and source of pleasure and enjoyment to this young man? The streets were improved. Didn't this help him, too? It is useless to go further; the argument is patent.

You may not own a foot of land in the city; you may not own a share of stock in its corporations; you may not even own any household furniture—yet if you live here, and if you intend to make this your home, it is to your interest to—not "Boost"—but to praise the town for its worth. You may be away on a trip—possibly no further than Burgaw, but if some one asks you what kind of a town Wilmington is, tell him that it's a good town. If you happen to know of any of its faults, just overlook them, and play like its a perfect place.

In the study of psycho-therapeutics, it is brought out that when a person continually thinks of one of his ailments, it intensifies the pain; while on the other hand if he puts on a big smile when anyone asks him how he is, and says (even though he knows it is not so) "I'm fine, thank you", he will eventually feel fine. The same thing applies to the city's welfare.

The Commercial Club, and the Chamber of Commerce, and other organizations, can do wonderful things; but their membership is limited to four or five hundred. Suppose their membership amounted to a thousand. What about the other 34,000 people? If each one of these said one good word a day about the city, they would do more than all the organizations of the State put together.

And, from a selfish standpoint, it pays. If you are going to live here, if you are going to continue to earn your salary here, be a Wilmingtonian, and tell people that it's a fine place, that it's a Jim Dandy town. Then, if you want some of the Wilmington people to do something for you, they'll be a whole lot more apt to do it than if you went around with a grouch and said that the place was punk. You can lead more people than you can drive.

Lastly: If you've got a criticism to make of the city, of its affairs, of its government, or any other feature, and you wish to put it in print, don't hesitate to do so; but state the facts, and when you are through, write your name in full at the bottom—without any "nom de plume" or other anonymous evasion, and if you are right—well these people are a pretty good bunch of folks—they'll listen to you.

H. H. FORD.

A TRIBUTE TO THE LATE MR. T. M. EMERSON.

(By a Colored Man.)

It was with profound regret and the sincerest sorrow that I heard of the death of the lamented Mr. T. M. Emerson, late president of the Atlantic Coast Line. During the long years that I have known him I have learned to love and honor him for his sense of honor and his spirit of fairness to the humblest, for he was possessed of the "finest sense of justice that the human mind can frame." No one ever knew him to "give the word of promise to the ear and break it to the hope."

Another quality in him was his innate desire to be right in all that he said or did. He was of the sterner stuff which forms the elements of the character of the honest, the fearless and the good.

"Boatman, come, thy fare receive;
Thrice thy fare I gladly give.
For unknown, unseen by thee,
Spirits twain have crossed with me."

THOS. H. KNIGHT.

ORDERS ARE ANNULLED.

Commerce Court Marks Commission Ruling Void.

Washington, November 26. — The Commerce Court today annuled the orders of the Inter-State Commerce Commission, which forbade payment by trunk line railroads of allowances to so-called tap-lines.

The court held that "the commission was not only without power to forbid nay allowance whatsoever to be made by trunk lines to the petitioning proprietary industries for switching, but it was also without power to prohibit the making of joint rates by the trunk lines, and the petitioning tap lines and the payment by the former to the latter of some division thereof for its services."

EXCHANGE LINED UP.

Uniform Measures for Protection of Investing Public.

Washington, Nov. 26.—The New York Stock Exchange, through its governing board, today announced its intention to co-operate in bringing about the adoption of uniform measures for the greater protection of the investing public through more careful supervision of corporation organization. To this end it will recommend greater publicity and fuller and more frequent reports of operations.

The exchange will appoint a committee to make this subject a special study.

COMPLAINTS FILED.

Against Canadian, Japanese and Russian Fishermen.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Complaints against Canadian, Japanese and Russian fishermen invading Alaskan waters for halibut, have led Secretary Redfield to include in his estimates for the Department of Commerce an appropriation of $100,000 to purchase one sea-going vessel, one light draft tug and six rapid motorboats to enforce the alien fishing law.

The Secretary points out that under present conditions, when a government official has to visit an Alaskan cannery to see that the law is being observed "his only means of transportation is a boat owned and run by the very company or persons that may be violating the law."

FINISH READING TODAY.

Text Book of Sun Worshippers Cult Branded Objectionable.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—Reading of the text book of the Mazdaznan Sun Worshippers' cult, occupied the entire day in the trial in Federal court here of Ottoman Zar Adusht Hanish, high priest of Mazdaznan. The book is branded as objectionable by the prosecutors and Hanish is on trial for sending it by express in inter-State commerce.

A crowded court room, in which many women were interested auditors, gave close attention while two attorneys took turns in reading the Oriental philosophy. The reading will be finished tomorrow.

PREPARE PROGRAMME.

Chairman Clayton Getting Ready for Anti-trust Fight.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Representative Clayton, chairman of the House Committee on Judiciary, who returned to Washington tonight from Alabama, will take up immediately the preliminary work of preparing a programme for anti-trust legislation. He probably will confer with President Wilson in a few days regarding the comprehensive plan of trust legislation which President Wilson believes should feature the coming session of Congress. The judiciary committee will be called together early in December.

MAKE ANOTHER ATTEMPT.

To Regulate the Grain and Cotton Exchanges of the Country.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Regulation of the grain and cotton exchanges of the country again will be attempted in the House next Spring, according to Chairman Lever, of the House committee on Agriculture. Mr. Lever says as soon as the agricultural appropriation bill is disposed of his committee would take up legislation designed to regulate these exchanges so as to make the contracts and other business fair to all.

Washington, Nov. 26.—President Wilson had a long talk today with Chairman Newlands, of the Senate Inter-State Commerce Committee about anti-trust legislation. The Senator said they talked over some of the bills already introduced, but did not map out a programme.

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THE SUNDAY SELLING

Chief of Police Asks for Stringent Ordinance

General Complaint of Desecration of Sabbath—Relief is Promised by Council—Other Matters.

So many complaints have come to police headquarters of the wide-open Sunday selling with the resultant crowds congregating around the stores in different parts of the city that Chief of Police Williams sent to the City Council yesterday afternoon a communication calling attention to the existing conditions and urging that a stringent ordinance be adopted covering the situation.

Councilman Wood, who was one of the Council to champion the cause of those desiring the privilege to sell on the Sabbath when the question was up some months ago, concurred with the chief of police that the privilege had been abused and stated that as the persons who had asked for the privilege had disregarded their promises he considered it the duty of the Council to pass a more stringent ordinance and urge its enforcement. He said that a great many complaints had recently been made to him relative to the Sunday selling, and he was satisfied that a great number of the shops keepers and merchants had not kept their promise with the Council..

City Attorney Bryan was asked to draft a more stringent ordinance than the one now in effect. He said that he would draft the ordinance as requested, but that he would not attempt to say that it would stand the test of the courts. The ordinance will likely be presented at the next meeting. The letter of Chief Williams follows:

"I desire to call your attention to conditions caused by the present Sunday law. People are allowed to open their places on the Sabbath day and buy and sell, thereby desecrating the Sabbath. This is bad. To our department a list of complaints came from people living near those places in different parts of the city. We find it impossible to regulate these places on account of the large number of them open and scattered all over the city. Crowds gather around them and make it very disagreeable to people living in the immediate vicinity who would like to have a quiet Sunday.

"It is with you, who have the power to regulate this matter."

Improve Sidewalks.

Chief Williams also submitted to Council a list of sidewalks discovered since his last report that need to be improved as follows: Chesnut street, between Fourth and Fifth, north side paralleling property of Dr. Love (four places), J. B. Brinkley, W. F. Tomz, Mrs. Ratliff, James Owen Reilly, agent; Eighth street, west side, between Princess and Chesnut, paralleling property of H. T. Duls, widow of Dr. Mask, John E. Taylor, agent; Fourth street, between Orange and Ann, paralleling property of Mike Cronly, T. J. Moore, Mrs. J. C. Shepard. At No. 215 Chesnut street, Dan McRae, colored. At No. 205 Church street, Dave Rountree. Red Cross street, between Third and Fourth, north side, Mrs. Rose I. Morrison. Red Cross, between Front and Second, north side, C. P. B. Mahler.

It was ordered that the clerk notify the owners of the property that they must put down the sidewalks within 30 days from date of notice.

Railroad Bridges.

The following ordinance, offered by Councilman Wood, was passed on its first reading:

"Be it ordained by the Council of the city of Wilmington, North Carolina, and it is hereby ordered by authority of same:

"Section 1. That any railroad company or railroad companies owning or operating or using any lines of railroad track or tracks within the corporate limits of the city of Wilmington, which track or tracks cross any street or streets of said city of Wilmington or any street as laid down upon the official plan of the city of Wilmington at a lower grade than the street or land immediately on each side of said tracks and as much as eight feet below the street grade, or land immediately on each side of the company or companies' right-of-way at said street crossing or intersections shall within 60 days after the passage of this ordinance build, erect, and maintain over their tracks a good and sufficient bridge of the full width of the street, which bridge shall be built and constructed under the supervision of the city engineer.

"Section 2. That any railroad company or companies may within 20 days after the passage of this ordinance make application in writing, to the Council of the city of Wilmington, stating the place or places where their tracks cross the streets of the city or intersect the streets of the city as laid down upon the official plan of the city at as much as eight feet below the grade of the street or the land immediately alongside of the right-of-way at such intersection, stating the surrounding circumstances and the situation at each such intersection and request to be relieved of building or maintaining such bridge, or asking to be allowed to build or maintain a narrower bridge, and the Council may in their discretion grant the request in whole or in part as to them shall seem wise of expedient and such permit so granted by said Council, to the extent of such permit, and no further shall relieve such company or companies, as the case may be, from the provision of this ordinance, provided each company or companies shall within said 60 days fully conform and comply in all things with the terms of such permit.

"Section 3. Any railroad company or companies failing to comply with the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined the sum of $50 for each day it fails to comply herewith and each day shall constitute a separate offense."

Councilman Merritt reported that the work of improving Second street, from Red Cross to the railroad, is nearing completion.

A petition was received from Mr. J. Edwin Bunting and others asking that the Council arrange the public fountains so that dogs as well as horses and mules may quench their thirst, or put up new fountains for the canines. The petition was referred to the Department of Water and Sewerage. Council declined to grant to Mr. Wm. Sneeden permission to sell fresh meats in the store in the Front street market house, on the ground that the place was rented with the understanding that it was to be used for store purposes and that had it been rented for a market it would have brought more than $15 a month, which is the rental now paid.

The request of the police department for extra men was briefly discussed and then deferred for further

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WILMINGTON WATER SUPPLY

Prof. J. A. Holmes Thinks Good Water in Plenty Can be Had at Depth of 150 to 200 Feet.

To the Editor of The Star:

I have taken an active interest in the water supply for Wilmington purely from a civic standpoint, and because of my unswerving belief that an abundant supply of good, potable water can be secured from the ground at a depth of less than 200 feet; and also my firm conviction that wells properly put down here will never become contaminated by surface water, or water that seeps down through the sand here to the marl formation underlying this whole territory.

After hearing Mr. Catlett's paper which he read before a few gentlemen at the meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, and being of such a decided dissenting opinion with Mr. Catlett in what he had to say, I wrote Prof. J. A. Holmes, at Washington, asking him what conclusion he had come to with reference to the deep wells at Wilmington after the five or six years of investigation that he gave the subject, and I append herewith a copy of Mr. Holmes' reply, which I respectfully request that you publish in full, as this letter refutes so many statements that have been made with regard to our being unable to get a supply of potable water sufficient in quantity to supply the city, from ordinary deep wells.

Very truly yours,
WM. E. WORTH.

Letter from Prof. Holmes.

November 24, 1913.

Br. Wm. E. Worth, Wilmington Refrigerator & Ice Works, Wilmington, N. C.

My Dear Mr. Worth:

My protracted absence from Washington has delayed acknowledgment of your letter of October 31st.

I was very glad to hear from you on the subject of a water supply for Wilmington, and am glad to get the information contained in your letter.

I have received a letter from Dr. Edward J. Wood on the same subject and bearing the same date, and I enclose herewith a copy of my reply to his letter which you may consider in some respects a reply to your letter also.

With best wishes,
Sincerely yours,
J. A. HOLMES.

Letter to Dr. Wood.

November 24, 1913.

Dr. Edward J. Wood, Wilmington, North Carolina.

Mr. Dear Dr. Wood:

My continued absence from Washington has delayed an earlier acknowledgment of your letter of October 31st, relative to a water supply for the Wilmington region.

Between 15 and 20 years ago I made a number of examinations in the Wilmington region with reference to the possibilities of a suitable water supply other than that coming from the Northeast Cape Fear river. In this connection I watched with considerable interest the deep well that was drilled on the bank of the Cape Fear river at Hilton Park, which reached the solid granite rock at a depth of 1,109 feet. The fact that the water flowing from this deep well, from a point about 350 feet below the surface and down to the bottom of the well, was salt water, was considered a sufficient indication that there was probably no chance of securing in the immediate vicinity of Wilmington a supply of good water from any considerable depth below the surface, certainly not below 300 feet.

I realized at that time—and I think in this view of the situation there was general concurrence—that the water from the shallow surface wells in and about Wilmington, reaching to a depth of from 10 to 50 feet, would in all probability be contaminated with surface drainage and would be dangerous to use.

I reached the conclusion at that time, and am still of the opinion, that at depths ranging from 100 to 150, and possibly even 200 feet below the surface an abundant supply of water might be obtained which would be free both from the underlying salt and from the surface city contamination. Water at that depth—100 to 200 feet—would probably be separated from the surface in the Wilmington region by a sufficient quantity of fine, compact sand and clay to prevent the possibility of surface contamination, even though the wells reaching such water supply were driven within the city limits.

I believe, however, that if it should be decided to secure a quantity of this underground water for city use, it would be safer to locate even these deep wells some distance outside the city limits, where there could be no suggestion of surface contamination, even should there be an injury nearer the surface from rusting or accident to the pipes put down to the bottom of the deeper wells.

I believe, furthermore, that the use of water from deep wells within the city limits—such wells, for example, as those that have been used for many years by the Wilmington Refrigerator & Ice Works—would be safer than the water which has been so long in use from the Northeast Cape Fear river; and I may add that, in my judgment, the water from these deep wells has no connection whatever with the water falling as rain in the immediate vicinity of Wilmington, but comes from the sand hills many miles distant as an underground flow in the sands and limestone rock which are separated from the surface about Wilmington by over 50 feet of fine sandy clays. These sandy clays are too recent to be affected by faults and fissures, and I do not, therefore, believe that the surface waters could reach these deeper underlying waters (100 to 200 feet below the surface) unless it were through artificial channels that were opened up in connection with abandoned drilling operations, and this is decidedly unlikely.

If there is any further service I can render in this connection, I will be glad to comply with your further requests. Very truly yours,
J. A. HOLMES.

Building Permits.

A building permit has been issued to Mr. Thos. H. Wright for the erection of a six-room residence at corner of 13th and Market street, the estimated cost being $2,500. Mr. W. D. Colwell has also been given permission to build a six-room residence at the corner of 15th and Dock streets, the estimated cost being $2,500.

THANKSGIVING DINNER.

Turkey and Sauce
Celery Fruit Cake
Rice Green Peas
Macaroni Potato Salad
Clam and Vegetable Soup
Coffee and Milk
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CHARGES AGAINST OFFICER

Hoyt Kennedy Made Complaint to Council As to Alleged Conduct of Mr. Leon George.

Charges of conduct unbecoming an officer were preferred against Plainclothesman Leon George by Hoyt Kennedy, through his counsel, Walter P. Gafford, Esq., at the regular meeting of the City Council yesterday afternoon. The charges are to be put in writing and when filed with the Council a time will be appointed for the investigation at which both sides will be heard.

Mr. Gafford did not state the nature of the charges, saying in reply to a request of Councilman Merritt for this information, that he thought it would be best to present it when both sides could be heard. Councilman Jones, who has charge of the Department of Public Safety, stated that the matter had been presented both to him and the chief of police and that in his opinion it was a question for the whole board to handle. He thought that the complaint should be put in writing and filed with the Council and a day appointed for going into the entire matter. It was decided that this course would be pursued.

Mr. Gafford, acting as counsel for Mr. Kennedy, will now put in writing the charges that are to be made against the officer. When this is done a day will be named for the hearing.

After the meeting Councilman Jones and Chief Williams were asked as to the nature of the charges that had been presented to them against Officer George. Both stated that the complaint seems to have grown out of a remark Officer George is alleged to have made to Mr. George Schnibben regarding the character of Kennedy, who is conducting a business in a store rented from Mr. Schnibben. Officer George is said to have expressed surprise to Mr. Schnibben that he would have rented his property to Kennedy inasmuch as he had been involved in a certain case in court. The case against Kennedy to which the officer is said to have referred was nol prossed, it is stated.

Pending the investigation Mr. George continues as a member of the force.

ERADICATION OF THE TICK

Series of Lectures Began Last Night in Brunswick County—Stock Law Election.

The campaign for the eradication of the cattle and livestock ticks in Brunswick county, following the very successful work in this direction in New Hanover county, was begun last night when two government exports spoke at Lockwoods Folly. According to announcement the campaign was to have opened Tuesday night with a lecture at Bolivia, but the experts missed railroad connections and did not arrive until yesterday morning.

The experts assigned to the work in Brunswick county are Drs. T. M. Owen and E. M. Nighbert. They arrived here yesterday morning from Washington and left during the day for Brunswick county. A great many Wilmington people are deeply interested in the campaign in Brunswick county and they believe that the people of the neighbor county will show such interest in the subject that there will be large crowds at each point at which the lectures are delivered.

Dr. Owen stated to an acquaintance while here yesterday that in his opinion that the government having already established a quarantine against Brunswick county shipping live cattle and hogs into Wilmington, it will next prevent the shipment of dressed pork and beef from that county to this market because of the fact that it is tick and cholera infested. He holds to the view, it is said, that there is as much reason to exclude the meat of infected cattle and swine as to quarantine against the livestock. At present, however, there is no quarantine against dressed pork and beef from Brunswick.

Drs. Owen and Nighbert will be in Brunswick county delivering lectures, which will be illustrated, until December 5th, speaking at Ashe, Shallotte, Southport, Mill Creek, Town Creek, Farmers' Turnout and Summerville.

It was stated yesterday that much interest is being taken in Brunswick county in the election to be held in that county Tuesday of next wek to decide whether or not the county will have stock law. The advocates of stock law are working hard for the issue and hope to carry the election.

Lecture at Brooklyn Church.

"Stations of the Cross" was the subject of the illustrated lecture at Brooklyn Baptist church last night, conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. A. Sullivan. This lecture proved to be the most impressive of the series. The views shown on the screen were those of Christ being led to Calvary bearing the cross. Mr. C. Y. DeVaun sang with much effect, "Dark Calvary," and as the view depicted the Savior on the cross he sang with impressive effect, "I Gave My Life For Thee." While these meetings have not resulted in adding a great number to the membership of the church, they have been of great value to all who have attended. There will be a Thanksgiving service at the church tonight. Rev. W. G. Hall, pastor of Southside Baptist church, will preach. All are invited.

Married Last Night.

Mr. Verny Rivenbark and Miss Iola Casteen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Casteen, were married last night at 8 o'clock at the parsonage of Bladen Street Methodist church, the officiating minister being Rev. W. L. Rexford. There were present only a few intimate friends and relatives. They will reside at No. 311 Campbell street. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John D. Rivenbark, of this city, and is in the grocery business. The young couple have many friends who will wish for them many happy years of wedded life.

Orchestra Rehearsal Last Night.

The Y. M. C. A. orchestra had a splendid rehearsal last night at the Y. M. C. A., rendering to good effect the following selections: "The Whip," two-step march; "Tickle the Ivories", "The Dream Tango," "Anti Rag-Time Girl," march two-step; "When It's Apple Blossom Time in Normandy," Hungarian rag; "Sailing Down the Chesapeake Bay," "Rag Time Regiment Band," "Flow Along River Tennessee." These pieces were furnished through the courtesy of Jerome H. Remick & Co.

INVITES POWER COMPANY

Council Authorizes Councilman Wood to Have Interview With Management in Raleigh.

City Council took the first step toward getting the Yadkin River Power Company to extend its power to Wilmington yesterday afternoon when a resolution was adopted requesting Councilman Wood to visit the office of the company in Raleigh and have an interview with the management with a view of ascertaining when the company can extend its wires to this city and at what cost it would be willing to furnish the city lighting.

Councilman Wood stated, after the resolution had been introduced by Councilman Merritt, that a number of business men and tax-payers had urged him to make an effort to get the power company to enter Wilmington not only for the purpose of furnishing electricity for the city, but power for operating small manufacturing plants that may be established here. He said that a meeting of the directors of the company would be held in Raleigh within a few days and that in company with Mr. C. E. Greenamyer he expected to attend and see what could be done about getting the company to enter Wilmington with its current. Mr. Greenamyer is interester in getting the power here for the operation of an electric line to Wilmington Beach as well as for small manufacturing plants. It is understood that this same company is furnishing power now as far down as Lumberton. Whiteville, in Columbus county, would like to make a contract for power in the event the line is extended from Lumberton to Wilmington.

The resolution, which was adopted without a dissenting vote, follows:

"Resolved, That Councilman T. W. Wood be requested to visit Raleigh and interview the management of the Yadkin River Power Company with a view of ascertaining at what time they can extend their wires to Wilmington and at what cost they would be willing to furnish the city lighting for."

Councilman Wood recently suggested a municipal lighting plant to furnish not only the city lighting but to go into the business of furnishing electricity to the public and if the Yadkin company does not quote a price that is considered satisfactory he will give further consideration to the establishment of a plant here.

THANKSGIVING WILL BE OBSERVED IN WILMINGTON.

General Suspension of Business—Services at the Churches.

Thanksgiving Day in Wilmington will be quite generally observed. Business will be practically at a standstill. Most of the mercantile houses as well as the banks and public offices will be closed and the postoffice will observe holiday hours. In a great many of the churches services will be held either this morning or evening and as usual on this day they promise to be quite largely attended.

The Tidewater Power Company announces a half-hour schedule on the suburban line in the afternoon and if the weather is favorable it is expected that a great many will visit the beach. The Academy of Music will claim a large number this afternoon and tonight, when "A Double Deceiver" will be presented with Norman Hackett in the principal role. Others will find amusement and recreation at the moving picture shows. A large number of sportsmen will spend the day in the woods and some will likely pass the day fishing.

The public schools of the city closed yesterday afternoon for the Thanksgiving with appropriate exercises by practically all the grades in the Grammar schools. Many of the teachers have gone to Raleigh to attend the State Teachers' Assembly which meets there today. The children are happy over the pleasure that they will have in being able to cease from the studies for one day, and enjoy themselves in an unrestricted manner. Many parents of the children attended the exercises at the schools yesterday.

The Christian Science Society services are held in the church edifice, corner 17th and Market streets, today at 11 A. M. Lesson sermon: "Thanksgiving." The public is cordially invited.

Thanksgiving services at St. James' church—A special service of Thanksgiving with sermon appropriate to the occasion will be held at St. James' church from 10 to 11 this morning. The offering in money will be for the Thompson Orphanage. The donations of fruits and provisions will be distributed in the hospital and city. Everybody having anything to be thankful for cordially invited to worship with the congregation.

Thanksgiving services will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock at Immanuel Presbyterian church, corner Front and Queen streets. There will be special music and this will be a special service. The orphans will be benefitted by any presents which members of the congregation may give. The public is cordially invited. The pastor, Rev. J. S. Crowley, hopes to make it a real Thanksgiving service.

NO TOURNAMENT TODAY.

Cape Fear Country Club Postpones Golf Events Until Later Date.

Owing to the death of Mr. T. M. Emerson, one of the organizers and charter members and former president of the organization, the Cape Fear Country Club has postponed the golf tournament and oyster roast, which was to have taken place today until a later date. These events will be played at some later date, which will be announced later.

Organize Luther League.

The young people of St. Matthew's Lutheran church organized a Luther League at a meeting held in the church Tuesday night, and the following officers were elected: President, Mr. William Otersen; secretary, Mr. J. H. Bost; treasurer and organist, Miss Mamie Godwin; assistant organist, Mr. Marion Avant. The devotional service of the league will be held each Sunday evening at 6:45 o'clock A cordial invitation is extended the young people of the congregation to become members and to take part in the active work of the organization. The next regular business meeting will be held on the evening of December 9th.

Arrested for Embezzlement.

For an alleged embezzlement at Councils, R. L. Moore, a white man, a white man, who had been working in the city for some time, was arrested by Plainclothesman Leon George Tuesday afternoon. Constable G. F. D. Dowless, of Councils, came in on the noon train and accompanied Mr. George to the southern part of the city where Moore was arrested. Moore was taken back to Councils by Constable Dowless for trial.

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TUBERCULOSIS SUNDAY WILL BE OBSERVED HERE.

Pastors of Different Churches Will Preach Special Sermons.

For the purpose of bringing to the attention of the people the great importance of the fight now being waged against tuberculosis, Sunday, December 7th, will be observed throughout the country as "Tuberculosis Day," and at that time the ministers of all churches and denominations will be requested to preach special sermons on the campaign that is being made against the great white plague. The day will be observed in Wilmington, and many of the pastors have already signified their intention of preaching on this important subject.

Behind the movement are more than 1,000 anti-tuberculosis societies, and they are asking that the churches, schools, labor unions, fraternal and other organizations join in the observance of the day. While for the sake of convenience Sunday, December 7th, has been designated as Tuberculosis Day it is not necessary that the observance take place on this date if some other time either preceding or following this day shall be better suited to any of the organizations that will join in the celebration.

It is not the intention of the movement to crowd into the already crowded ecclesiastical calendar another "Day" but it is desired that the tuberculosis question shall be presented to the people, and the entire service need not necessarily be taken up with this subject, though this would be extremely desirable. It is hoped that as many of the churches as possible will get together as near the same time as possible to give the anti-tuberculosis campaign a forward impetus.

Last year there were over 60,000 churches which gave attention to the observance, and this year it is hoped to have at least 100,000 besides having a large number of schools and other organizations. Its purpose is strictly educational, and is not in any wise designed for getting money.

SALE OF SEALS BEGINS.

Red Cross Society Expect to Sell 100,000 by Christmas or Before.

Preparations for the annual Christmas sale of Red Cross stamps has been made by the local branch of the National Red Cross Society, and it is their purpose to dispose of at least 100,000 by Christmas. The seals will be placed on sale in the drug stores and also in the bookstores of the city, and the public is asked to buy them early in order to save the merchants who have so kindly offered to aid in this charitable cause any inconvenience during the holiday rush.

The proceeds will be used in the fight against tuberculosis, and a portion of the receipts will go to the local branch for the support of this work in the city. Last year 90,500 were sold here, and this year it is hoped to greatly exceed this number. It is hoped that the public will contribute liberally and thus aid in a great work.

At a meeting of the local branch to be held Monday morning the city will be divided into districts, and ladies assigned to take charge of the various divisions. There will be a special contest for the school children. They will be required to work only in the residential section and will not be allowed to sell any stamps in the business district. Each child who sells as many as 50 seals will be given a handsome pin.

TWO FIRES YESTERDAY.

Firemen Have Two Calls in Quick Succession—Little Damage.

The fire department had two calls yesterday afternoon in quick succession, but they were on the job and little damage was done in either instance. The first was at 12:45 o'clock when a dwelling at No. 710 Grace street, occupied by Mr. S. P. Raines, caught fire. The roof was burned nearly off, and the damage amounted to several hundred dollars, fully covered by insurance. The second call came at 1:48 o'clock, and this time the fire was at No. 1205 North Seventh street in a house occupied by L. Smith. Little damage was done. Sparks from the chimney caused both blazes.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Offenders Got Light Sentences Yesterday—None of Importance.

Hattie White, colored, was convicted in Recorder's court yesterday of violating the prohibition law, but because of bad health the usual sentence for such cases was not imposed, and a prayer for judgment was continued. She was required to give a bond of $50 for good behavior for 12 months. She is to report the first Monday in each month, and show that she has not sold whiskey. She was alleged to have bought a pint of whiskey for another person, and a gallon or so was later found in her home by Officers Frank George and B. W. Jacobs.

Corrie Bell Simmons, colored, was fined $5 and the costs for striking a white child while in a store Tuesday afternoon. She had an altercation with the child's nurse, and seemed to have hit the child by mistake. No serious injury was done.

Judgment was suspended in cases against Henry Moore and Alex. Hall, both colored, charged with beating their way on trains. Judgment was left open in a case against Evelina Jackson, colored, charged with carrying a concealed weapon. Evelina was arrested on a charge of violating the prohibition law. Later when she had been placed in jail it was found that she had a razor concealed on her person. Solicitor Peschau says that she is guilty, and has a decision in a similar case from the Supreme Court to support his contention. She was given three months by the Recorder Tuesday morning on the charge of violating the prohibition law. A nol pros with leave was taken in a case against Eure Carter, colored, charged with vagrancy.

A SURPRISE MARRIAGE.

Mr. R. R. Stone, Jr., and Miss Estelle Skipper Wed at Mt. Airy.

Many friends in the city were surprised last night to learn of the marriage of Mr. R. R. Stone, Jr., and Miss Estelle Skipper at Mt. Airy yesterday afternoon. The news was conveyed to friends here by a telegram from Mr. Stone. The young couple will return to the city today and will make their home here. The bride has been visiting friends in Mt. Airy and no intimation of the marriage had been made.

Postoffice Hours Today.

On account of Thanksgiving, holiday hours will be observed at the Wilmington postoffice today. General delivery window will be open only from 11 to 12 o'clock A. M., and from 7 to 8 P. M. Stamps will be on sale at the window. Carriers will make only the early morning delivery and collection.

Young Couple Married Here.

Yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the parsonage of the Brooklyn Baptist church, Mr. Leonard Hearn, of King's Bluff, and Miss Olivia Squires, of Currie, were married, the officiating minister being Rev. J. A. Sullivan. The young couple left for King's Bluff, where they will make their home.

THANKSGIVING BIRDS BY MAIL.

Two Hundred of Poultry Arrive in New York.

New York, Nov. 26.—Poultry of all kinds, with the turkey still holding its own, is arriving in New York suburbs in great numbers by parcel post. A specific instance of the popularity of sending Thanksgiving treats by mail was the receipt of 200 parcels of poultry at the Yonkers postoffice yesterday.

In spite of the new means of transit, the regular market deliveries are being made in unusual quantities with from 50 to 75 carloads arriving daily this week from the turkey belt. The most desirable birds are selling at nearly 30 cents a pound, with some of the fancy sorts priced at even 40 cents.

New York, Nov. 26.—For the second time within a year Dr. John McAllister, a well known surgeon, is seriously ill of blood poisoning. Today he was reported in danger of tetanus. His present illness resulted from his treading upan a rusty nail which penetrated his shoe when he was crossing the street yesterday.

CHANGE IN SCHEDULE.

New Train on Seaboard—A Change in Leaving Time for Trains.

Effective Sunday the Seaboard Air Line will have a new schedule for its trains, this, however, will not materially affect Wilmington as the new schedules make only slight changes. The new train between Wilmington and Hamlet will be put on at that time as previously announced. The new train leaving Wilmington at 6 P. M., and arriving at Hamlet at 10 o'clock will be known as No. 23, while the train leaving Hamlet at 6 A. M. and arriving at Wilmington at 10 A. M. will be known as No. 24.

There will be no change in the schedule of No. 14, which leaves Wilmington at 5 A. M. No. 13, which has been leaving at 3:05 P. M. will leave at 3:45 P. M., 40 minutes later. No. 20, arriving at 12:10 A. M., will have the same schedule. No. 14 will arrive at 11:59 A. M., instead of 12:30 P. M., as at present.

LEAVES WIFE WON BY AN AD.

Fauntleroy Unger Finds Married Life Burdensome.

Frederick, Md., Nov. 26.—Fauntleroy Unger, 22 years old, who, after advertising for a wife, finally wedded Miss Beulah Hummelbaugh, of Hagerstown, has separated from his wife. They were married September 17, by Rev. E. Holmes Lamar, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Unger, who is an orphan, inserted an "ad." in a local paper, inviting the acquaintance of good-looking and domestic women between the ages of 20 and 25 years, object matrimony.

He explained that he was tired of boarding-house life and wanted a home of his own. He received about 20 replies, among which was one from Miss Hummelbaugh. He called to see her and became engaged. The wedding day was set, but she failed to put in her appearance in this city, as was planned. In about a week, however, she came to Frederick and hunted up Unger and they were married.

McGUIRE IN PORTO RICO.

Will Sail for Nem York to Face Indictment Saturday.

San Juan, P. R., Nov. 26. — James K. McGuire, former mayor of Syracuse, who is under indictment in New York for violation of the law prohibiting a person from soliciting a political contribution from a corporation, is in San Juan. He arrived here late last night on the steamer President, from Santo Domingo. He expressed his intention of proceeding to Havana, from which port he would sail for New York, probably on Saturday.

The San Juan police are reported to have received a cable inquiry from District Attorney Whitman regarding McGuire.

BABY'S FACE ONE SORE WITH ECZEMA

Cried for Hours, Could Not Sleep. Resinol Brought Rest and Cure.

Reading, Pa.—"My baby girl had eczema for over six months. It was painful and itching, she could not sleep day or night, she would scratch till blood and water would run down her neck. Then it burned her so she cried for hours at a time. The right side of her face was one sore and scab.

"I got the samples of Resinol Soap and Resinol Ointment on a Saturday morning, and put them on, and put them on again in the afternoon and in the evening before I put her to bed, and she went to sleep and slept till next morning. I thought I was in heaven the first night, and by Monday the eczema was dried up so that all the scabs fell off. Resinol Soap and Ointment cured my baby." (Signed) Mrs. Wm. M. Fletcher, 544 So. 17½ St., Aug. 21, 1912.

If you or any of your little ones are suffering from eczema, rash, tetter, ringworm, or other itching, burning skin eruption, there is only one better proof of the value of Resinol. That is, try it yourself and see! You can get samples free by writing to Dept. 18-M, Resinol, Baltimore, Md. Resinol stops itching instantly. Prescribed by doctors for 18 years, sold by every druggist.

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Miss Almeria Swann, who spent the Summer at Swann's Quarter, Harnett county, has returned home.

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Mrs. E. P. Brock has gone to Raleigh to attend the State Teachers' Assembly.

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Mr. Louis Shrier left last night for Norfolk, Va., to spend Thanksgiving with his sister.

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Miss Ethel Woodard, of Whitakers, N. C., is visiting Miss Susie Brown, at her home on South Third street.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Wilder have gone to St. Stephens, S. C. Mr. Wilder's old home, to spend Thanksgiving.

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Mr. John W. Perdew, a student at the University of North Carolina, arrived last night to spend Thanksgiving with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Perdew.

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The choir of St. James' Episcopal church will have a practice rehearsal at the church this morning at 9:45 o'clock. On Friday evening at 7:45 o'clock there will be a full rehearsal by the choir.

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Miss Johnsie Cameron, of Rockingham, N. C., is visiting the city as the guest of Miss Genevieve Dushan, at 310 North Seventh street. Miss Cameran has a host of friends here who are glad to welcome her to the city.

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The Elite Dancing Academy will give a souvenir Thanksgiving dance in the hall in the Woolvin Building tonight. The music will be by the full orchestra. Souvenirs will be given out in the grand march.

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The monthly business and social meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Presbyterian church will be held in the parlors of the church Friday night at 8 o'clock. An especial Thanksgiving programme is arranged and all members are urged to attend as matters of importance are to come up before the business meeting.

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The members of the congregation of St. Matthew's Lutheran church under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society, will hold a sale of fancy and useful articles in the Sunday School room of the church on the afternoon and evening of December 4th. Cakes, candy, ice cream and other things will be on sale, and it will be a splendid opportunity to purchase Christmas presents. The public is invited to attend.

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An enjoyable dinner, dance and cabaret was given at Harmony Circle last night, which was attended by 80 guests. At 8 o'clock an elaborate dinner mas served ,and during its progress came the cabaret by home talent. This part of the programme was well gotten up, and reflected credit on the performers. Following the dinner there was dancing until 12 o'clock, when the guests departed for their homes, after a most pleasant and enjoyable evening.

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On Tuesday evening Miss Florence Wessell entertained the members of the bridal party who are to assist at the marriage of Miss Louise Vollers and Mr. David L. Struthers on December 3rd. The decorations were pretty ferns and potted plants. The chandelier was draped in dainty ribbons of various hues, and at the end of each ribbon was a silver marriage bell. Appropriate favors were presented and delicious refreshments served. All present had a most happy and enjoyable evening.

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Many friends will be glad to learn that Mr. Fred D. Bear, who underwent a serious operation at the Hebrew Hospital, Baltimore, on November 17th, is getting along very nicely and is considered well on the road to recovery. Mr. J. Irving Bear returned yesterday from Baltimore, where he had been to be present at the operation of his brother. His sisters, Mrs. Sol. Sternberger, of Wilmington, and Mrs. Sig. Wallace, of Statesville, who were also with him at the time of the operation, have returned to their homes.

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SOUTH CAROLINA LAWYER WEDS POPULAR TARBORO GIRL

Tarboro, N. C., November 26.—A wedding of much interest throughout this section was solemnized at the First Baptist church here tonight at 9 o'clock, when Miss Mabel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grigg Marion Thompson Fountain, became the bride of Mr. Colin Bradley Ruffin, a prominent young lawyer of Bishopville, S. C. The church was beautifully decorated, Rev. Richard Fountain, of Wake Forest, brother of the bride, officiating.

The bridal party entered as follows: Four ribbon girls, Misses Marguerite Fitz, of Petersburg, Va.; Lena, Marian and Anna Fountain, sisters of the bride; ushers, Messrs. George Fountain, W. W. Eagles, Henry Bryan and Carey Kilgo, of Bishopville, S. C.; bridesmaids, Misses Mavis Griffin and Eva French, of Rocky Mount; groomsmen, Messrs. Edward Ruffin, Leggets, and Herman Shaw, of Wilmington; dames of honor, Mrs. George Fountain and Mrs. Luther Bryan; maid of honor, Miss Alma Fountain, sister of the bride; and then the bride on the arm of her father. Mr. Robert Dennis, of Bishopville, was best man.

Just preceding the entrance of the bridal party Mrs. Frank Harris, of Henderson, sang "All For You" and "I Love You Truly," and then the chorus sang "Faithful and True." Miss Mary Austin presided at the organ, and played as the processional "Lohengrin," with violin obligatos by Messrs. Paul McCabe and George Pennington. During the ceremony "Angel's Serenade" was rendered.

The bride was gowned in white charmeuse with pearl trimmings, and carried a shower boquet of lilies of the valley.

Immediately following the wedding an elaborate reception was given at the home of the bride. Mr. and Mrs. G. M. T. Fountain met the guests at the door, and the receiving line was composed of the bridal party.

EXPLOSION OF GAS IN SEWER PLAYS HAVOC.

Score of Persons Injured and Property Loss Thousands.

Pittsburgh, November 25.—A score or more persons were injured, thousands of windows broken and a number of buildings shaken down by an explosion of gas in a nine-foot sewer in the Lawrenceville district of Pittsburgh late today. None of the injured will die but the property loss will amount to many thousands of dollars.

Five men working at a manhole in Thirty-eighth street were tossed into the air. Alexander Campbell, one of the number, was buried in the hole the explosion tore in the hillside. Another hole 200 feet long and 10 feet deep was torn in Sassafras alley, and another 15 feet deep cut the surface of Thirty-third street. A section of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad was lifted from its bed.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The public library will be closed today on account of Thanksgiving Day.

—The offices at the Court House will be closed today, as it is a holiday. There will be no Recorder's court.

—License was issued yesterday for the marriage of Mr. Verny Rivenbark and Miss Iola Casteen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Casteen.

—David McKoy, colored, was arrested yesterday afternoon by Policeman D. W. Coleman on a charge of vagrancy.

—By deed filed for record yesterday Joshua Sloan and wife transfer to Edward Sloan, for $10 and other considerations, lot on west side of Eighth street, 165 feet south of Swann, 33x72 1-2 feet in size.

—Jim Hall, colored, was arrested last night by Policeman H. G. Bullard for failure to have a rear light on the automobile which he was driving. He was recognized for his appearance before the Recorder tomorrow.

—"Babe" Singletary, colored, was arrested again last night by Plainclothesmen Frank George and B. W. Jacobs on a warrant charging him with selling whiskey. He was locked up to await a hearing before the Recorder. He has been charged with a similar offense. On account of his crippled condition he has caused the officers considerable trouble.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. Garland Cox has returned from a pleasant visit to Middlesex.

—Mr. S. S. Harrison, who has been buying tobacco at Rocky Mount, has returned home.

—Mr. F. H. Stephens, of Fayetteville, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

—Mr. John Q. Swann has returned from Swann's Quarter, where he spent the Summer.

—State Senator Oscar F. Mason, a prominent attorney of Gastonia, was in the city yesterday on business.

—Mr. M. McHenry McChord, organist and choir director of St. James' Episcopal church, returned yesterday from New York City, where he spent several days.

—Among yesterday's visitors to the city were Messrs. C. L. Stevens and H. P. O'Hagan, of Southport, who were cordially welcomed on Thanksgiving eve by their many friends in Wilmington.

—Included in the list of arrivals yesterday at the Southern Hotel were A. Taylor, O. H. Ritter and L. L. Brown, Hamlet; M. H. Thomas, Florence, S. C.; Riley Jones, Maple Hill; Robert Jones, Chinquapin; A. M. Beck, Kinston; F. D. Howard, Waycross, Ga.

ZELAYA ARRESTED.

Former Nicaragua President Charged With Murder.

New York, Nov. 26.—Agents of the Department of Justice late tonight arrested Gen. Jose Santos Zelaya, former President of Nicaragua, arousing him from his bed in a West End avenue apartment house. The warrant served charges him with murder.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Apprised of the arrest of former President Zelaya, of Nicaragua, in New York tonight, his counsel, Corry M. Stadden, promptly arranged with Solicitor Folk of the State Department, for a hearing tomorrow at the department to demonstrate that the warrant of Zelaya's arest should be cancelled because the offenses charged against him were political.

Efforts will be made to show that Sixto Pineda, of the men alleged to have been assassinated by Zelaya actually was killed by another person. It also wil be asserted that Toribio, the second of the men alleged to have been killed by Zelaya, really was shot by the police. In each case, it will be asserted, Zelaya knew nothing of the case until afterward.

In the event the State Department declines to cancel the warrant for the provisional detention of Zelaya, efforts will be made to make some arrangement to enable him to enjoy his liberty pending the arival from Nicaragua of documents in spite of the allegations which are required by treaty.

BRYAN MAKES ADDRESS.

At Lynchburg, Va.—Pays High Tribute to Glass.

Lynchburg, Va., Nov. 26.—Secretary of State W. J. Bryan, addressed two great audiences here today, speaking to 2,000 in the afternoon and probably as many at night, while hundreds were turned away from both meetings. In the afternoon before the State Teachers' Association, Mr. Bryan delivered his address: "The Making of a Man," and tonight before the citizens his theme was: "The Signs of the Times."

Mr. Bryan paid a high tribute to Congressman Glass in his efforts for the currency bill, saying he was glad to come to Lynchburg to pay humble tribute to one of its citizens who had rendered a very considerable service to his country.

Mr. Glass introduced Mr. Bryan to both of his audiences and his reception in both instances was a brilliant one.

While here Mr. Bryan was entertained by Congressman and Mrs. Glass at their home and he returns to Washington early tomorrow morning.

This afternoon from the local afternoon paper he learned for the first time of the great Juarez battle, reading the account in the newspaper office with evident interest, but his only comment following the reading was: "Well, that is the first I knew of the battle for I had not seen a morning paper."

OFFERS RESIGNATION.

Special Attorney General Quits First of January.

Washington, Nov. 26. — Edmin P Grosvenor, special counsel to Attorney General McReynolds, in charge of the prosecution of the bath-tub, harvester, moving-picture, and other so-called trusts, today tendered his resignation, to take effect January 1st. Mr. Grosvenor will return to civil practice in New York, and will become a partner of former Attorney General Wickersham and Henry W. Taft, brother of the former President. He will continue his government connections until the Harvester and Moving-Picture suits are completed.

BIG DAMAGE SUIT.

American Sugar Refining Co., Defendant in Proceedings.

New Orleans, Nov. 26.—The LaFayette Sugar Refining Co., of LaFayette Parish today filed suit in the United States court against the American Sugar Refining Co., asking $1,776,857 under the provisions of the Sherman anti-trust law. The suit is almost identical with that of Wogan Bros., Ltd., filed here recently, alleging violations of the Sherman law.

Madrid, Nov. 26.—The Spanish cabinet at a meeting this afternoon discussed the Mexican situation, and it is reported, decided to send a war ship to Mexican waters.

..Theatrical..

Matinee and Night Today.

Today the Academy of Music offers a big holiday attraction—the best Thanksgiving attraction the Wilmington theatre has ever set forth will be offered, when the distinguished young romantic actor, Mr. Norman Hackett, will appear at matinee and again tonight in "A Double Deceiver." Seats for both performances can now be reserved at Bunting's. Doors for the matinee will open promptly at 2 o'clock this afternoon and the curtain will go up at 3 o'clock.

"A Double Deceiver" has been founded on one of O. Henry's delightful short stories by Donald C. Stuart, a brilliant young writer now on the faculty of Princeton University. It is a new version of an old theme, a theme that because of its quality is everlasting. It is a delicate story, cleverly told. It deals with the double career of a roustabout, the story being laid in a Texas town and a South American city.

The mere mention of Norman Hackett in any role assures the success of the play in the minds of the general public who have learned to rely upon his productions from the excellent standards he has established in "Classmates" and "Satan Sanderson," so that much may be expected from his sterling actor and his new venture. He will have the support of an unusually strong company including the noted actor, Herbert Fortier; also Ilka Marie Diehl, Blanche Seymour, Burton Robbins, Edward Susdorf, Andrew Streng, Anna Berger Price and Carl Reed.

An interesting fact in connection with this attraction is the announcement that ten per cent of the gross receipts of both performances in this city will be turned over to the O. Henry Memorial Fund Association, which has for its object the placing of a bronze bust of the famous North Carolina author in the State capitol in Raleigh. Prof. J. J. Blair is local representative of the fund in Wilmington.

Coming of "Quo Vadis."

George Kleine's superb production of the marvelous photo drama, "Quo Vadis," adapted from Henry Sienkiewicz's world famous romance, will be revealed in Wilmington for first time at Academy tomorrow and Saturday night, with matinees every day. Seats are now selling at Bunting's. Beyond a question of a doubt this is the most marvelous achievement up to date in photo drama and visualizes a story with the broadest appeal imaginable. Lovers of history will revel in the reproduction of the gorgeous pictures of ancient Rome with its magnificent palaces, its catacombs, the arena and host of other interesting scenes and will enjoy the life-like impersonations of the famous historical characters, Nero, Tigellinus and the others. Those who lean toward romance can absorb the beautiful story of the great love of Vinitius for the sweet Lygia which turned him from a selfish pagan into a faithful Christian and the heroic sacrifice of the beauteous slave Eunice, for her brilliant master, Petronius. Those who take their pleasure in excitement will find ample satisfaction in the chariot races in the arena, the combats of the gladiators, the stirring scene where the Christian martyrs are thrown into the arena with the lions, and also in the marvelous picture showing the burning of Rome, one of the most gorgeous spectacles ever thrown upon the screen. And those familiar with church history will enjoy the visualization of the trials and sufferings of the early Christians, will strengthen their faith with the object lessons of Peter and Paul and the appearance of the Savior unto Peter as he is about to desert Rome and the Christians. Taken as a whole, this production does more for the scholar, the churchman and the amusement-seeker than any entertainment that has ever been presented upon the stage.

Thanksgiving at the Grand.

A big Thanksgiving Day programme will be served up a-steaming and with all dainty trimmings at the cozy, handsome Grand Theatre today. Today's superb offering will be composed of four big films and special music. Pathe has one of the stars on today in "A Plant With Nerves," which will furnish splendid entertainment and at the same time will prove an educator. The Biograph's latest is also one of the topliners and it is one that will teem with excitement and mystery and prove most fascinating. It is "The Van Nostrand Tiara." It tells of the theft of a tiara of diamonds from Mrs. Van Nostrand and the search for it. There is also Essanay's masterpiece on today in "The Kid Sheriff." This is also a stirrer, telling how the "Kid Sheriff" finally lands "Reno Bill," a desperado and stage coach bandit.

Then there is a swell travel picture in "St. Claude, and Its Environs," which is something exceptionally beautiful. The same old Grand price of admission, 5 cents, will prevail today.

Thankful for Bijou.

Among other things every amusement-lover of Wilmington should be truly thankful that the city possesses such an up-to-date, handsome and enterprising theatre as the Bijou. And today this swell, popular place will offer a great Thanksgiving Day bill. In honor of the holiday a special bill has been arranged and will prove one of the best of the week. Four films make up today's great show, headed by a special two-reel release, "A Highland Romance," and it is one of the best films of all. It is thrilling and beautiful and a notable cast will appear. The other films are big features. There is a swell Reliance, "The Missing Ring," which is stirringly dramatic, involving the honesty of a young woman who is about to be married. The other, "Love Me, Love My Dog," is a merry comedy and one of the richest. Most of the scenes transpire on a Pullman, which make the photo comedy decidedly novel.

The Bijou is just the comfortable and cozy spot these days and the price of admission is still tiny, 5 cents, afternoon and night.

CONDITIONS THE SAME.

No Changes in the General Electric Strike in New York.

Schenectady, N. Y., Nov. 26.—There was no appreciable change in the relative positions today of the General Electric Co., and the 15,000 of its employes who walked out Tuesday morning. A series of conferences tonight between representatives of the various unions implicated resulted in no developments. The men claim many additions to their ranks as the result of picketing today.

The announcement that Commissioner of Labor James M. Lynch, would try personally to bring the company and the employes together was received with little interest on the part of the men. Company officials made no effort today to bring about an adjustment.

New York, November 26.—Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst sailed for England today taking with her, she said, $20,000 collected during her recent lecture tour. She will devote the money to the cause of women's suffrage in England.

THE SUNDAY SELLING

(Continued from Page Five).

consideration at a later meeting. Meantime, Councilman Jones is given the authority to engage a couple of substitutes for police duty. Councilman Jones reported that a request had been made by Mrs. J. G. Barentine, chairman of the Civic Improvement Committee of Sorosis, that receptacles be placed on Dock street, between Front and Second, where the country carts stand, so that all refuse from the carts may be placed in the cans. The request was referred to the Department of Streets and Wharves and will be granted.

Coupons to the amount of $11,513.75 were counted and burned. With the exception of $215 the entire amount was on water and sewerage bonds.

Reference to Deep Wells.

Councilman Merritt stated that the Council had asked the government to send a water expert to Wilmington from the geological survey to make an investigation of the public water supply, but instead a chemist had been detailed for the work. In his opinion, the man who is coming is simply to pass upon the quality of the present supply, which, he said, was known of all men. He said that what is wanted, if indeed anything is wanted, is advice relative to how to get a better quality of water. It was explained by Mayor Moore that Surgeon General Blue had been asked to send a man here who could advise the city on the water question in every phase and that it was presumed that Professor Phelps, who has been detailed for the work, is fully qualified to give this advice. It was the sense of the Council that even if Professor Phelps' knowledge of the water would be confined to the chemical side no harm could come of his visit and inspection of the plant, and that if found necessary later a representative of the geological survey could be asked for. Councilman Merritt read the letter from Dr. J. A. Holmes, director of the bureau of mines of the Department of the Interior, a copy of which is given in another column of today's paper in connection with a card from Mr. W. E. Worth on the water question.

The Council was in session not quite an hour, adjourning a few minutes before 5 o'clock.

HIGH COST OF LIVING TALKED.

House of Representatives Devote Some Time to Discussion.

Washington, Nov. 26.—The high cost of living was discussed in the House today when resolutions were introduced to investigate the subject. There was no action, however.

Representative Austin, of Tennessee, Republican, had read a resolution to direct a special committee of ten representatives to investigate the reasons for the palpable failure "of the new tariff law to reduce the cost of living and to extend an apology to the Republican party and the American people "whose votes established President Wilson's so-called new freedom."

Representatives Gorman, and Britten, of Illinois, also introduced resolutions. Mr. Gorman would enable the President to invite foreign governments to participate in an annual inquiry into the high cost of living throughout the world and would appropriate $20,000 for United States participation.

Attorney General McReynolds conferred today with Representative McKellar, author of a bill to control shipments of cold storage products in inter-State commerce. As a result the Department of Justice will aid any Congressional investigation.

Reports of the department's agents investigating an alleged combination of cold storage dealers probably will be placed at the disposal of the House Commerce committee.

Yell Defiance at Blood Disorders

A Remedy That Has Shown a Most Remarkable Purifying Effect.

At Last You Can Get Rid of Blood Troubles —S. S. S.

The word Medicine is one of the most abused in our language. There are certain medicinal properties just as necessary to health as the food we eat. Take, for example, the well-known medicine S. S. S. This famous blood purifier contains medicinal components just as vital and essential to healthy blood as the elements of wheat, roast beef, the fats and the sugars that make up our daily ration.

As a matter of fact, there is one ingredient in S. S. S. which serves the active purpose of stimulating each cellular part of the body to the healthy and judicious selection of its own essential nutriment. That is why it regenerates the blood supply; why it has such a tremendous influence in overcoming Rheumatism, Catarrh of the Stomach and Intestines, skin eruptions and all blood troubles.

Get a bottle of S. S. S. at any drug store, and in a few days you will not only feel bright and energetic, but you will be the picture of new life. S. S. S. is prepared only in the laboratory of The Swift Specific Co., 219 Swift Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., who maintain a very efficient medical department where all who have any blood disorder of a stubborn nature may consult freely.

S. S. S. is sold everywhere by drug stores, department and general stores.

Don't permit anyone to sell you a substitute. Insist upon S. S. S.

Highland Romance, Two-Reel Special.
THE MISSING RING.
LOVE ME, LOVE MY DOG.

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TODAY.
Friday, Gene Gauntier, Warner's Features
IN THE SHADOWS.
Three Reels.

The Xmas Flood

And the Holiday Deluge Has Already Begun to Pour Goods and Buyers Into

Gaylord-Platt Co's Big Store.

Toys and Substantial Gifts are coming in with a rush, and the early buyers are already making their purchases. Among the Christmas Goods this week's steamer will also bring us a lot of Winter Goods, such as Blankets, Comforts, Winter Underwear, Men's and Boys' Overcoats, Winter Suits, Ladies' and Misses' Coat Suits, and Cloaks and Sport Coats, which we have purchased from manufacturers at a vast reduction over the season's opening prices, they preferring to sell for a small cash price rather than carry over small lots.

So we have gathered here and there Big Bargains at Small Prices, for our customers.

Lots of new and beautiful things in Holiday Goods received this week for the Art Department.

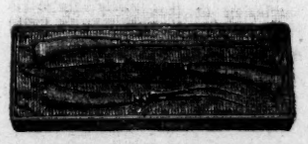
210, 212, 214 North Front Street

Thanksgiving Day Coming!

Turkey to Be Served!

SAVORY ROASTERS have acquired a National reputation. Absolutely impossible to burn roast or fowl in them. Price 75c. to $3.50 each.

CARVERS.



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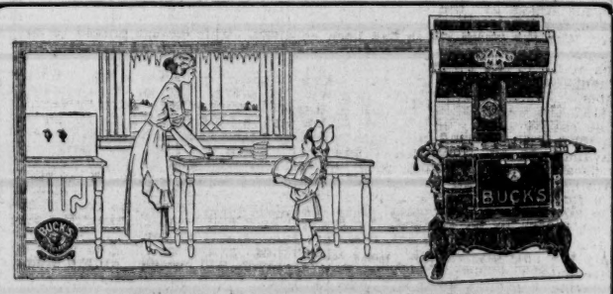

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON MARKET WAS QUIET

Fluctuations Were Irregular in a Narrow Range and Suggested Evening Up for Today.

New York, Nov. 26.—The cotton market was quiet and fluctuations were irregular in a comparative enough narrow range to suggest that business was mostly in the way of evening up for tomorrow's adjournment. Relatively easy cables and a bearish crop estimate were considered accountable for an early break, while a subsequent rally failed to hold and the market closed steady, at a net decline of one to seven points.

Private cables attributed Liverpool's failure to meet yesterday's local advance to increased hedge selling, and the absence of an important demand.

There was considerable cotton for sale at the opening here, and first prices showed a decline of 6 to 8 points, but offerings were well taken around 12.82 for January, and the market soon rallied.

Most of the buying on the advance was attributed to covering of shorts for over the holiday, while there was also a scattering demand, said to be against renewed calling by European and New England spinners. The market showed no evidences of any aggressive support, however, and after the more urgent demand from shorts had been supplied around the closing figures of last night, prices eased off again under realizing.

The talk in the trade, as well as the action on the market continued to indicate a wide difference of opinion regarding the size of the crop. Liverpool cables said the continent had been a buyer of Indian cotton in the market there today. There were reports of a good European demand for spot from some sections of the eastern belt and local spot people predicted that the first December notices here on Friday would not exceed 15,000 bales.

Cotton spot, quiet. Middling uplands, 13.30; middling gulf, 13.55; no sales.

Cotton futures:

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Nov				12.92
Dec	12.90	13.06	12.90	12.93
Jan	12.82	12.91	12.80	12.85
Feb				12.84
Mar	12.90	12.99	12.90	12.94
Apr				12.91
May	12.86	12.93	12.84	12.88
June				12.84
July	12.73	12.82	12.70	12.77
Aug	12.50	12.54	12.53	12.52
Oct				11.94

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Quiet, 13¾; net receipts, 29,713; gross receipts, 29,713; sales, 250; stock, 317,182; Great Britain, 10,529; continent, 19,153; coastwise, 107.

New Orleans—Steady, 12 15-16; net receipts, 14,895; gross receipts, 15,105; sales, 4,702; stock, 237,807; Great Britain, 6,500; continent, 813.

Mobile—Steady, 13.00; net receipts, 2,870; gross receipts, 2,870; sales, 175; stock, 47,350; continent, 3,962; coastwise, 769.

Savannah—Steady, 13.00; net receipts, 7,825; gross receipts, 7,825; sales, 1,344; stock, 188,688; coastwise, 2,611.

Charleston—Quiet, 13.00; net receipts, 1,938; gross receipts, 1,938; stock, 83,277; coastwise, 100.

Wilmington—Steady, 12¾; net receipts, 2,480; gross receipts, 2,480; stock, 35,616; France, 13,800.

Norfolk—Quiet, 13¼; net receipts, 4,820; gross receipts, 4,820; sales, 1,986; stock, 47,925; Great Britain, 100; coastwise, 3,174.

Baltimore—Nominal, 13¼; stock, 9,904.

New York—Quiet, 13.30; net receipts, 52; gross receipts, 11,594; stock, 44,524; continent, 4,026; coastwise, 9,804.

Boston—Quiet, 13.30; net receipts, 66; gross receipts, 3,905; stock, 15,545; continent, 308.

Philadelphia—Steady, 13.55; net receipts, 90; gross receipts, 90; stock, 1,412.

Texas City—Net receipts, 3,159; gross receipts, 3,163; stock, 18,897.

Brunswick—Stock, 13,743; Great Britain, 7,450.

Aransas Pass—Stock, 3,573.

Jacksonville—Stock, 1,479.

Pensacola—Net receipts, 15,634; gross receipts, 15,634; continent, 15,064.

Tacoma—Net receipts, 2,849; gross receipts, 2,849; Japan, 2,849.

San Francisco—Net receipts, 675; gross receipts, 675; Japan, 675.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 80,466; Great Britain, 24,509; France, 13,800; continent, 43,296; Japan, 3,524; stock, 1,066,901.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 288,702; Great Britain, 88,714; France, 29,071; continent, 120,411; Japan, 3,524.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 5,164,404; Great Britain, 1,347,436; France, 589,592; continent, 1,633,848; Japan, 111,475; Mexico, 15,620.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 13¼; net receipts, 15,665; gross receipts, 15,665; shipments, 17,085; sales, 2,939; stock, 180,673.

Augusta—Steady, 13¼; net receipts, 1,441; gross receipts, 1,483; shipments, 987; sales, 1,404; stock, 60,275.

Memphis—Steady, 13¼; net receipts, 6,808; gross receipts, 10,273; shipments, 6,755; sales, 1,250; stock, 181,143.

St. Louis—Dull, 13¼; net receipts, 2,006; gross receipts, 9,294; shipments, 7,398; sales, 57; stock, 15,534.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 1,985; gross receipts, 1,985; shipments, 1,060; stock, 14,009.

Little Rock—Quiet, 12¾; net receipts, 2,126; gross receipts, 2,126; shipments, 1,201; stock, 47,435.

Total today—Net receipts, 30,031; gross receipts, 40,826; shipments, 34,480; sales, 5,670; stock, 499,069.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Nov. 26.—Spot, in fair demand; prices, easier; middling fair, 7.75; good middling, 7.43; middling, 7.25; low middling, 7.03; good ordinary, 6.43; ordinary, 6.09.

Sales, 10,000, including 8,400, including 1,600 American.

Futures closed very steady. November, 7.06½; November-December, 6.91½; December-January, 6.90; January-February, 6.89½; February-March, 6.90; March-April, 6.91; April-May, 6.91½; May-June, 6.92; June-July, 6.89½; July-August, 6.87; August-September, 6.74; September-October, 6.53; October-November, 6.43.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Nov. 26—Call money firm 4 1-2 to 5 per cent; ruling rate 4 3-4; closing 4 1-2 to 4 3-4. Time loans firm, 50 and 90 days 5; six months 4 3-4 to 5 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 5 1-4 to 5 3-4. Sterling exchange weak, 60 days 4.81; demand 4.8530. Commercial bills 4.80 1-2. Bar silver 58 3-8. Mexican dollars 45.

DRY GOODS MARKETS.

New York, Nov. 26.—Staple cotton hosiery will be opened for Fall December 1. A fair advance business was done today on underwear lines for Fall, 1913. Domestic embroideries for Spring were in good demand. Worsted yarns were quiet. Cotton yarns were dull.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, Nov. 26.—Rosin—Quiet. Turpentine—Easy.

Savannah, Nov. 26.—Turpentine—Firm, at 43¼@43½; sales, 621; receipts, 1,152; shipments, 37; stocks, 31,946.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 3,404; receipts, 3,411; shipments, 325; stocks, 165,882. Quote: A, B, C, D, E, F, G, 3.65; H, 3.70; I, 3.75; K, 4.50; M, 5.00; N, 6.00; W G, 6.50; W W, 6.75.

LACK OF QUORUM.

In Senate Prevented Confirmation of Appointment.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Lack of a quorum in the Senate prevented confirmation today of the appointment of L. E. Pinkham as Governor of the Territory of Hawaii. At the end of a spirited fight against Pinkham a vote resulted in his favor 27 to 17. Many Democrats voted against confirmation, while the majority of the Republicans voted for it.

The nomination of Henry M. Pindell, of Peoria, Ill., as ambassador to Russia, was sent to a substitute committee today by the Senate foreign relations committee.

WHEAT MARKET EASED OFF

European Markets Having Virtually Ignored the Recent Advances In American Markets.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—Wheat eased off a little today, European markets having virtually ignored the recent advances on this side of the Atlantic. Latest prices were steady, at a shade to ¼c. net decline.

Corn closed unchanged to ⅛@¼c. lower; oats, off ⅛ to ¼, and provisions, varying from a setback of 5 cents to a rise of 2½c.

No cash grain quotations obtainable. Fog prevented inspection.

Wheat—December, 87½; May, 91⅛.
Corn—December, 70⅝; May, 70½.
Oats—December, 37⅝; May, 41⅞.
Pork—January, 20.90; May, 20.87½.
Lard—January, 10.87½; May, 11.12½.
Ribs—January, 1,100; May, 11.17½.

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Str. Thistledhu (Br.), 2,614 tons, Backlin, Alexander Sprunt & Son.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at the Port.

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 26.

Atlantic Coast Line—1,778 bales cotton.
Seaboard Air Line—379 bales cotton.
Clyde Line—323 bales cotton.
Str. Duplin—8 casks spirits turpentine.
Schr. Annie B—2 casks spirits turpentine; 13 barrels rosin.
Schr. Pioneer—2 casks spirits turpentine; 9 barrels rosin.
Total—2,480 bales cotton; 12 casks spirits turpentine; 22 barrels rosin.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Nov. 26.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady, at 42½ cents per gallon.

ROSIN—Steady, $3.45.

TAR—Firm, at $2.50 per barrel; in casks, 10c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $2.00 per barrel for hard; $3.00 per barrel for dip, and $3.00 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 33½c.; rosin, $5.40; tar, $2.20; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.25@$4.25 to $4.25.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	12
Rosin	22
Tar	(—)
Crude Turpentine	(—)

Receipts same day last year — Spirits turpentine, 25 casks; rosin, 120 barrels; tar, 41 barrels; crude turpentine, 17 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Spot, 12⅞ for middling. Same day last year, 12⅜.

Receipts, 2,480. Same day last year, 3,733 bales.

Total receipts since Sept. 1, 260,682 bales. Total receipts same time last year, 220,329 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Nov. 22.)

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, 85c. per bu. Sweet potatoes, new, 40 to 50c, very dull.

PEAS—White, $2.50 per bushel.

BEEF—Native, dressed, very dull, 6 to 8c.

PORK—Small, 9@11c.

WOOL—Burry, 11 to 12c. per lb.; free 17c. per lb.

HIDES—Green salt, 11c; dry flints, 14@16c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 23c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 15½c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, good demand. Grown, 40 to 45c.; Spring chickens, 15@35c. per head.

EGGS—28c. per doz. Good demand.

head; very dull; no sales. Lambs, $1.50 to $2.50 per head.

TURKEYS—Live, on foot, 18 to 20c. per lb.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., Nov. 22.

Market—Steady on Virginias and Spanish, and North Carolinas stronger.

North Carolinas—No. 1, prime hand-picked, 90c; machine-picked, 85c.

Spanish—Prime, hand-picked, $1.00; machine-picked, 90c.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 80c.; machine-picked, 75c.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.

Petersburg, Va., Nov. 18.—Spanish—Farmers' new Spanish, $1.22½c. per bushel

Virginias—Fancy Jumbo, 3¾c. per lb.; Fancy Hand-Picked, 3½c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 3¼c. per lb.; Shelling Stock, 2 to 2½c. per lb.

CHESTER TREASURY EMPTY.

Commission Takes Charge With City in Debt to Limit.

(Chester, Pa., Cor. Phila. Ledger.)

Reckless expenditure by City Councils has exhausted the funds in the treasury, and when Chester enters upon the era of commission government on the first Monday in December Mayor Ward and his four colleagues not only will have no money with which to conduct the municipal government, but will have a legacy of a number of unpaid bills and a note for $19,500 that soon will be due.

Bills payable will take every dollar from the treasury and not a cent will be available on the revenue for the new fiscal year until the first Monday in April, 1914. In addition, two contracts for fire apparatus, aggregating $9,000, have been made, payment being due with the delivery of the engine and truck.

Only the angry protests of taxpayers prevented Councilmen from awarding paving contracts for two years, which not only would have used the remainder of the $600,000 improvement loan, but would have embarrassed the Commissioners still further by an addition to the increase account. Councils are accused of wasting public money deliberately in order to embarrass the Commissioners and to discredit the new form of municipal government.

This city has miles of newly-paved streets of highly attractive character, but will not have a dollar to spend for keeping them clean until next Spring. Mayor Ward expects that public-spirited citizens will give the temporary aid needed.

ON TO MEXICO.

Tenth Regiment of Cavalry, Leaves for the Border.

Burlington, Vt., Nov. 26.—Movement of the 10th regiment of cavalry toward the Mexican border began today with the departure of L Troop for Fort Apache, Ariz. Information has been received from Washington that the rest of the regiment will have left Fort Ethan Allen for border posts by December 5th.

STOCKS DULL AND NARROW

Prices Dropped Slightly Yesterday—Previous Upward Spurt Exhausted Buying Power.

New York, Nov. 26. — Prices dropped slightly today in a dull and narrow stock market. The upward spurt of yesterday appeared to have exhausted the buying power of the market and today were but small, meaningless fluctuations. Money market conditions tended to restrict speculation. The heavy outflow of money continued, with large shipments of gold to Canada. The amount engaged for the Dominion today was $4,350,000. For San Francisco, $500,000 more was reserved.

Several influences combined to bring about the large movement of gold to Canada. Heavy selling of Canadian grain bills on this market, against shipments of grain now coming on through American ports; flotation of Canadian bond issues abroad recently, payment of the last installment on the new Canadian Pacific stock issue, and the increased gold requirements of Canadian banks, under the new banking law, were factors.

Call money rose to 5 per cent. in response to the outward movement of funds, and preparations of interest and dividend payments on December 1.

Reports from the Steel trade again were pessimistic. An estimate attributed to an independent manufacturer was that over 50,000 steel workers had been laid off, or were working on short time. Steel trade reviews also were unfavorable.

Bond prices were irregular, with noticeable pressure on United States Steel 5s. Total sales, par value, $1,140,000.

United States bonds were unchanged on call. Total stock sales, 87,400 shares, including Chesapeake and Ohio, 100; Lehigh Valley, 900; Norfolk and Western, 500; Southern Railway, 100; Southern Railway pfd., 200; Tennessee Copper, 400; United States Steel, 17,600; V. C. C., 600.

CLOSING STOC LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	70⅝
American Agricultural	42⅛
American Beet Sugar	25
American Can	29⅛
American Can, pfd	92
American Car and Foundry	43¾
American Cotton Oil	37½
American Ice Securities	21½
American Linseed	9⅝
American Locomotive	29½
Amer Smelting and Ref., ex. div	62
Amer. Smelting and Ref., pfd	98¾
American Sugar Ref	107½
American Tel and Tel	119½
American Tobacco	231
Anaconda Mining Co	34
Atchison	92
Atchison, pfd	97
Atlantic Coast Line	117½
Baltimore and Ohio	92½
Bethlehem Steel	29⅝
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	87
Canadian Pacific	224⅜
Central Leather	24⅜
Chesapeake and Ohio	56¼
Chicago Great Western	11½
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	98⅜
Chicago and North Western	125⅛
Colorado Fuel and Iron	27
Consolidated Gas	126⅜
Corn Products	9½
Delaware and Hudson, ex. div	149½
Denver and Rio Grande	17½
Denver nad Rio Grande, pfd	27½
Distillers' Securities	16
Erie	26⅜
Erie, 1st pfd	41
Erie, 2nd pfd	33⅜
General Electric	138¼
Great Northern, pfd	124
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	31½
Illinois Central	106½
Interborough-Met	13¾
Interborough-Met., pfd	58
Inter-Harvester	101⅝
Inter-Marine, pfd	13
International Paper	7
International Pump	5
Kansas City Southern	24⅜
Laclede Gas	95
Lehigh Valley	146¼
Louisville and Nashville	133
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	126
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	19¾
Missouri Pacific	26
National Biscuit	119
National Lead	43¾
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	17¾
New York Central	95¼
New York, Ont. and Western	26
Norfolk and Western	103¾
North American	70½
Northern Pacific	106¾
Pacific Mail	24
Pennsylvania	109
People's Gas	118
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	82¼
Pittsburg Coal	18½
Pressed Steel Car	25
Pullman Palace Car	152
Reading	160¼
Republic Iron and Steel	19¼
Republic Iron and Steel, pfd	79¾
Rock Island Co	13⅝
Rock Island Co., pfd	22
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	8
Seaboard Air Line	16
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	44
Sloss Sheffield Steel and Iron	26
Southern Pacific	87⅛
Southern Railway	24¾
Southern Railway, pfd	74⅞
Tennessee Copper	28¼
Texas and Pacific	15
Union Pacific	151
Union Pacific, pfd	81½
United States Realty	53
United States Rubber	53⅜
United States Steel	55⅞
United States Steel, pfd	104½
Utah Copper	48⅝
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	26⅜
Wabash	3½
Wabash, pfd	10¼
Western Maryland	35⅝
Western Union	62⅜
Westinghouse Electric	64⅛
Wheeling and Lake Erie	4½
L. and M.	207
L. and M., pfd	110
Lorillard	162
Lorillard, pfd	109
New Haven	77½

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Nov. 26.—Wheat, irregular; No. 2, red, 98½@1.00; No. 1, Northern Duluth, 98⅛.

Corn—Steady, 82½.

Flour—Steady.

Hides—Steady.

Leather—Firm.

Rice—Firm.

Molasses—Steady.

Butter—Irregular.

Cheese—Unchanged.

Sugar—Raw, steady; refined, steady.

Coffee—Spot, firm. Rio, No. 7, 10¼; Santos, No. 4, 12¾; mild, steady; Cordova, 13@16½.

Potatoes—Steady. European, 1.25@1.75; sweets, Southern, 65@1.00.

Cabbages—Steady and unchanged.

Peanuts—Steady and unchanged.

Freights—Steady and unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—Barely steady today, under selling by refiners and reports of an easier tendency in crude markets. Sales 13,400 barrels. Prime crude, 600 sales; prime Summer yellow, 7.05@7.15; December, 7.06; January, 7.12; February, 7.15; March, 7.22; April, 7.25; May, 7.25; June 7.37; July, 7.44; prime Winter yellow, 7.25@7.90; prime Summer white, 7.25@7.75.

U. S. STEEL LAYS OFF MEN.

But Officials Deny Gary Plant Will be Shut Down.

Chicago, Nov. 25.—Authenticated reports that hundreds of employes have been laid off by the United States Steel Corporation at Gary, Ind., reached here today and were followed promptly by denials that any general closing down was contemplated. One official of the big plant acknowledged, however, that in the effort to give all skilled employes work their employment would be limited to four days a week.

It was said that only laborers have been laid off entirely, but another source of information reported that 2,500 steel workers have been let out in the Calumet district. Rumors which reached LaSalle street brokers that a general shutting down of steel plants was about to take place were denied in New York by E. H. Gary, chairman of the corporation.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

November 27, 1913.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 44 degrees; at 8 P. M., 54 degrees; maximum, 66 degrees; minimum, 43 degrees; mean, 54 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00; rainfall for the month, to date, .05.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 4.1 feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Thursday and Friday.

The Port Calendar, Nov. 27.

Sun rises ..... 6:56 A. M.
Sun sets ..... 5:03 P. M.
Day's length ..... 10 hrs. 07 min.

Tides.

	High water. A.M.	High water. P.M.	Low water. A.M.	Low water. P.M.
Wilmington	9:08	9:28	3:51	4:31
Southport	6:53	7:14	12:35	1:25
Masonboro Inlet	6:42	7:03	12:15	1:05

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS, November 26, 1913.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest Last Night.	Precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	pt cldy	68	58	.0
Asheville	clear	62	36	.0
Atlanta	clear	66	46	.0
Augusta	clear	68	54	.0
Birmingham	clear	70	52	.0
Boston	clear	52	36	.0
Charleston	clear	68	46	.0
Charlotte	clear	62	42	.0
Chicago	raining	46	44	.14
Galveston	pt cldy	70	66	.0
Jacksonville	clear	74	54	.0
Memphis	clear	70	50	.0
Mobile	clear	72	54	.0
Montgomery	clear	72	44	.0
New Orleans	cloudy	72	62	.02
New York	cloudy	42	40	.0
Oklahoma	cloudy	68	54	.0
Palestine	cloudy	74	54	.0
Pittsburg	raining	44	42	.06
Raleigh	clear	64	40	.0
Savannah	clear	72	52	.0
Shreveport	clear	76	50	.0
St. Louis	pt cldy	60	44	.10
Washington	raining	48	42	.01

WANTS LARGE APPROPRIATION.

Secretary Houston Will Ask Congress for Big Amount.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Secretary Houston wants Congress to appropriate $25,000,000 for the agricultural work of the government. His estimates will be submitted this week and the House committee of agriculture will begin consideration of the agricultural appropriation bill early in December.

Chairman Lever, of the committee, has conferred with Secretary Houston and they will co-operate in plans the department has in view of making its work more effective for farmers.

RECORD BREAKING ESTIMATE.

For Army Appropriations Laid Before Congress.

Washington, Nov. 26.—Record-breaking estimates for army appropriations were laid before Congress today by the War Department. Secretary Garrison transmitted his estimates for the next fiscal year aggregating $106,000,000, which is roundly $10,000,000 greater than the figures submitted a year ago.

The House committee will begin work immediately on the army bill with hearings on December 3rd, at which Secretary Garrison and the heads of the various branches of the army will be called upon to explain the proposed increases.

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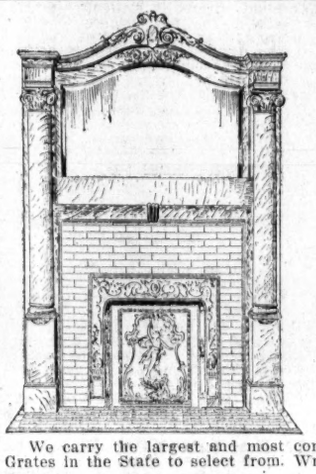

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REBELS THREATEN TO FIRE

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riding into Juarez today from its victory south of the city exhibited many souvenirs of the conquest. Some of the soldiers wore the blue uniforms of the late Federals, divested of their brass buttons and insignia. Many rebel officers wore capes and coats of Federal officers. On the whole, however, the rebels had not decked themselves with many of the spoils of war. They admitted removing the uniforms of the men they executed before shooting them, explaining that it was necessary to conserve all wearing apparel. Nearly all of Villa's fighting men are quartered in Juarez tonight. Nobody remains on the battlefield.

Victims of the 30-hour battle with Pancho Villa's rebels, 1,000 Mexican Federal soldiers, wounded and unattended are suffering on the battlefield at Mesa, below Juarez, according to reports brought here today. Many of them have been stripped of their outer clothing by the victorious rebels.

The rebel wounded, it was stated, are being brought to Juarez and provided for.

Federals Deny Reports.

Federal soldiers who have reached this side of the border say the entire Federal army is at Samalayuca, 32 miles south of Juarez, its base of supplies. The stragglers say the Federals have lost none of their trains and few, if any cannon, and that Gen. Salvador Mercado, the commander, is arranging to renew the attack on the rebel front.

Villa's army, returning from its battle at Mesa, began arriving in Juarez shortly before noon, the men in good spirits and well supplied with ammunition they had captured from the Federals.

Fifteen captured Federal field pieces and 15 machine guns were brought to Juarez when the rebel army began coming in. A troop review which was in the nature of a triumphal parade, was reviewed by Gen. Villa.

Four train loads of Federal prisoners, numbering more than 400, it was reported, were brought to Juarez. It was stated that all former rebels who were found among the captives, were executed on the field of battle.

Gen. Ynez Salazar, Federal commander of irregular cavalry, was reported by rebels to have been shot in the right side and wounded seriously in Tuesday's fight. Rebels said they saw Salazar caried to a car during the battle.

Washington Viewpoint.

Washington, Nov. 26.—The rout of the Mexican Federals near Juarez by the Constitutionalist forces and a wireless report from Rear Admiral Fletcher indicating that conditions in the oil regions near Tuxpam were not as threatening as previously had been reported, held the interest of official Washington today in the Mexican situation.

The wireless message to the Navy Department from Admiral Fletcher, who left Vera Cruz on the battleship Rhode Island late Monday night with John Lind to investigate alleged threatening conditions in Tuxpam and Tampico, brought evident relief to officials here. The admiral's report, regarding the Tuxpam field, where British and American interests are situated, gave indications that no immediate aggressive action on the part of the United States to furnish protection would be necessary. Though no official report has come with relation to the Tampico district, it is thought that the situation here will be found similarly controlled.

The border situation, as a result of the vigorous operations near Juarez and the possibility of another siege of the border city, aroused the War Department to action to afford ample protection for El Paso and the neighboring border territory and late today orders were issued for the movement from Fort Douglas, Utah, to El Paso, of the 20th United States Infantry, which will be used to preserve order within the city limits.

To Guard the Border.

This will permit the use of the two regiments of cavalry now at El Paso. Fort Bliss and environs to guard the border in each direction from the city. In addition to these two regiments, the 15th, just arrived from Northern posts, and the Second, there is a battery of the Fifth Artillery, while Brig. Gen. Hugh L. Scott, with a squadron of the 12th Cavalry, will go to El Paso as soon as he has composed the threatened outbreak among the Navajo Indians in New Mexico.

The War Department upon the request of the Red Cross, issued orders which permit the bringing of wounded Mexican soldiers across the border into El Paso, the permission applying to Federal and Constitutionalist soldiers alike. Red Cross authorities find it easier to care for the wounded Mexicans in American territory than to enter into the international negotiations necessary in order to cross the boundary and it also is known that facilities for the care of the wounded in Juarez are entirely inadequate.

Recognition Again Up.

It was suggested tonight that one important result of the rebel victory at Juarez might be to bring into greater prominence the question of recognition by the United States government of Gen. Carranza's constitutionalist party as the defacto government of Northern Mexico. Now that Gen. Carranza can claim that his party is in practical possession of all of the northern States, it is expected he will set up a permanent capital at Hermosillo or Magdalena and complete the organization of his provisional government.

This question is said to have been discussed by Dr. William Bayard Hale, in his recent conferences with Gen. Carranza and Senor Esquedero. Mr. Hale is expected in Washington within a few days.

There was no confirmation here today of a report from Berlin that the American ambassador, James W. Gerard, in discussing the Mexican situation with the German minister of foreign affairs, Gottlieb Von Jagow, had submitted a new cable from Washington re-affirming the attitude of the United States in regard to the elimination of Gen. Huerta and the non-recognition of the new Mexican Congress. Acting Secretary of State John Bassett Moore, said he had no knowledge of any new note on the subject.

British Sign Up.

Mexico City, Nov. 26.—Sir Lionel Carden, the British minister, sent notification today to all British residents to register at the legation in pursuance of the plan of defense against a possible emergency. Danish residents, who are not represented here diplomatically were likewise invited to enroll. A similar step was taken by the Cuban charge d'affaires.

The chamber of deputies held a five-minute session today—the time necesary to read and approve the minutes. Adjournment was taken "because there was no other business."

The question of passing upon the recent election of the President and Vice President of the Republic, it was said, will not be taken up for several days.

MAKE CURRENCY A PARTY

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O'Gorman, provided that it was the sense of the conference that beginning Monday, December 1st, the Senate should meet at 10 o'clock in the morning, sit until six in the evening, resume after a two-hour dinner recess and continue until 11 o'clock "until the currency bill is disposed of."

It further set forth that unless the bill is out of the way no holiday recess shall be taken "except an adjourned recess from December 24th to December 26th, over Christmas day. Not even New Year's will be a holiday unless the bill is passed before them."

The second resolution, presented by Senator Reed, of Missouri, made the currency bill a party measure. It provided that the members in conference, should meet beginning this afternoon, and by Saturday night, should complete the consideration of the bill.

In the absence of Senator Hitchcock, the only Democratic member who has held out against the administration bill, it was expected that the Democrats of the Banking and Currency Committee would have little difficulty in committing the caucus to the support of the draft of the measure presented by Senator Owen. It was made clear, however, that some of the amendments proposed by Senator Hitchcock would be written into the bill by the conference.

The currency debate continued in the Senate today, Senator Newlands making a lengthy speech explaining his plan for a federation of State reserve associations as a substitute for the various proposals put forth. The Senate adjourned until Saturday to allow the Democratic conference time to work on the currency bill.

The determination of the Democratic leaders to press the currency bill to a vote quickly was apparent tonight when it was virtually agreed that a vote would be asked for whenever there comes a lull in the speech-making in the Senate.

It is believed the caucus will come to a complete agreement on all features of the bill before Saturday, and that the Democrats will then unite in the effort to shorten debate. Speeches made in the conference today and tonight, especially by Senators who recently had returned to Washington from their homes States emphasized the demand for immediate action.

The caucus discussed the number of regional banks that shall be established but came to no decision. It is believed, however, that the eight-bank plan will be endorsed by a large majority of the Democrats.

ATTEMPT TO BLOW UP COPPER MINE.

Strikers in Michigan Use Dynamite, But to No Avail.

Calumet, Mich., Nov. 26.—The Michigan copper mine strike took a serious turn again tonight when an attempt was made to blow up the compresser house at Ahmeek mine. A heavy charge of dynamite was exploded but the force of explosion was spent outside the building and the most serious damage consisted of shattering windows in the compresser house, and at numbers one and two shafts 100 feet distant.

It is believed that the compresser machinery was uninjured.

Within 20 feet of the explosion is a bunk house occupied by mine guards. Officers think those who planned the dynamiting expected the explosion would destroy the bunk house as well as the compresser. The explosion occurred about the time for changing shifts of underground men.

Sheriffs' posses of Houghton and Keweenaw counties are investigating. Application was made tonight by the sheriff to Governor Ferris for martial law in Allouez township, Keweenaw county, as there has been considerable shooting throughout the district.

PEANUTS SELL HIGH.

Prices Offset Low Cotton Market in Halifax County.

Scotland Neck, N. C., Nov. 26.—The short cotton crop in this section of the State does not badly hamper the farmers since they do not depend on cotton by any means as their only money crop. It is true that because of the storm early in the Fall the cotton crop is damaged at least 25 per cent. and in a few cases even as high as 50 per cent., but with the good prices at which the staple has been selling and the extra high prices paid for peanuts, the farmers are yet on top and likely to stay there. As an indication of the splendid prices paid for peanuts here this season one of the largest buyers in Scotland Neck told the writer that he never in all his business career has known peanuts to sell as high at this season of the year as they have sold here this Fall. He said the highest he had ever paid was $1.25 per bushel, while they had sold on the local market this Fall as high as $1.40, and were in great demand at that.

ONE OF GOVERNOR BLEASE'S MEN IN TROUBLE.

Paroled Monday and Shot a Man Yesterday.

Spartanburg, S. C., Nov. 26.—Charged with shooting Ernest McAbee, his wife's cousin, at Moore, S. C., near here last night, Elmore Wright, paroled by Governor Blease, after serving three years of a life sentence for killing a man named Kirkendall, was committed to the county jail here today.

Wright is said to have called at a store where McAbee was employed as a salesman and they engaged in an altercation over Wright's alleged treatment of his wife. Wright is alleged to have drawn a pistol and when McAbee made a move as if to pick up a missle Wright opened fire. One of the bullets penetrated McAbee's lungs and he is not expected to live.

CHICAGO IN DARKNESS.

Cars and Autos Have to Use Lights in Midday.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—A combination of smoke, heavy clouds and almost motionless air currents enveloped Chicago in darkness today.

Lights twinkled in office building windows as at night, but the streets were without illumination and acquaintances could not distinguish each other six feet away. Street cars and automobiles used their night light.

On the board of trade it was announced that the State inspectors were unable to examine fresh receipts of grain because of the darkness.

Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 26.—Congressman O. W. Underwood, the Democratic leader, will leave for Washington tomorrow morning, after several weeks spent in furthering his campaign for the United States Senate against Congressman R. P. Hobson.

Colds Cause Headache and Grip
LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE tablets remove cause. There is only One "BROMO QUININE." It has signature of E. W. GROVE on box. 25c.
(advertisement.)

EMERSON'S DEATH A SHOCK

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the late president is Mr. J. R. Kenly, third vice president and one of the most active men in the service, having charge of the traffic over the entire system. The office was tendered him once before, but he declined on account of the condition of his health which, friends say, has since greatly improved. A great many people discussing the matter, said that they felt certain that if Mr. Kenly desired the office he would be named as Mr. Emerson's successor.

Mentioned also were Mr. W. J. Craig, passenger traffic manager; Mr. R. A. Brand, fourth vice-president; Mr. Lyman Delano, assistant to the president for the past two years, a nephew of Mr. Henry Walters, chairman of the board of directors of the company; Mr. W. R. Sullivan, of New York, until about two years ago assistant to President Emerson, now holding an important position with a bond company of New York, his particular work being to investigate and report on valuation of railroads, and Mr. Alexander Hamilton, of Petersburg, Va., first vice-president and general counsel.

TO PUBLISH COLLEGE DAILY.

Trinity Students in Jouranlism to Try Their Hand.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Durham, N. C., November 26.—The class in journalism at Trinity College is going to get out a newspaper next Thursday. Professor Moore, who is giving the course in journalism and short-story writing at Trinity, originated the idea of having the students get up copy for a regular daily paper in order to give them some practical idea of how much material and how many kinds of matter is necessary in making up a daily paper.

The paper will be an afternoon edition and is to carry the full amount of news, clippings, editorials, paragraphs, feature stories, etc., that go to make up an ordinary daily.

There are only five students taking the course in journalism, and the work for the proposed paper has been divided in the same manner that that of a regular newspaper is. Robert B. Murray is to act as editor-in-chief of the paper and he is to give out assignments to the various members of his staff. F. F. Thompson and M. R. Pleasants are sporting editors; S. L. Dellinger and Tom Gill, society editors; Thompson, Pleasants, Gill and Dellinger, news editors. Besides the regular current news, the paper will carry a number of feature stories of popular interest.

The paper will be ready at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon, December 4th, and will carry the news of a regular afternoon paper of that date.

KILLED ON EVE OF FORTUNE.

S. A. Miles, of Maryland, Had Patented a Valuable Device.

Washington, Nov. 25.—Three days ago Samuel A. Miles, 65 years old, a native of Boonesboro, Md., received from the government a patent on a piston rotary engine from which it was estimated he would derive an immense fortune. Today he was run down by an automobile and died a few hours later at the Emergency Hospital, in this city.

Miles was born and raised at Boonesboro and later moved to Philadelphia. About six months ago he came to Washington to secure a patent for his device. Three days ago the patent was granted and Miles received several flattering offers from aviation concerns.

The accident occurred at Fourteenth street and Spring Road. Miles was crossing the street and failed to see the approaching machine. He was thrown to the pavement and fell on his head, fracturing his skull. The owner of the car hurried him to the Emergency Hospital, where an hour later he died.

"INVINCIBLES" BEATEN

In Basketball Game at Trinity College —Sophomores Win.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Durham, N. C., Nov. 26.—Somebody had to be a hero last night, and fortune smiled on Sophomore Matton. The juniors and Sophomores played each other to a standstill in the Angier Duke gymnasium, and five minutes extra had to be granted by the referee to break the tie. The Sophomores finally came out victorious by the small margin of two points, the final score being 22 to 20, with the juniors swinging the small end.

Last night's game was the first that the juniors have lost since they were freshmen, and their defeat came as a surprise to everybody, Sophomores included. The college community had come to look upon the junior basketball team as invincible.

COULDN'T KILL HIM.

Fighter Punched Opponent 1,000 Times To No Avail.

Windsor, Ont., Nov. 16.—Without exerting himself at any time Packey McFarland, of Chicago, toyed with Harry Brewer, the Kansas City welterweight, in their eight-round bout here tonight. Although McFarland landed probably a thousand times and made his opponent miss nearly as often, the Kansas City fighter never flinched and when the final gong sounded he was trying hard to reach his elusive opponent as he was during the first round.

BAD ACTOR SHOOTS UP SMALL TOWN.

Then Commits Suicide After Terrorizing Everybody.

Anderson, S. C., Nov. 26.—J. T. Jones, a prominent dry goods merchant, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head in his store here today, after driving his clerks from the building and terrorizing by promiscuous firing other persons who tried to interfere.

He was the only person struck by the bullets from his revolver. Ill health is believed to have been the cause of his act.

TRAIN HITS AUTO.

Three Women Killed; One Woman and Man Injured.

Hollidaysburg, Pa., Nov. 26.—Three women were killed and another woman and a man probably fatally injured near here today when a freight train on the Pennsylvania railroad struck an automobile in which the party was riding. The dead are Mrs. Mary Besseli, her 15-year-old daughter, annie, and Miss Frances Secrist.

CAST LEADEN KEEL.

Sir Thomas Lipton Sees Beginning of His New Yacht.

Gosport, Eng., Nov. 26.—Sir Thomas Lipton was today present at the casting of the leaden keel of the Shamrock IV. The event took place at the shipbuilding yard of Charles E. Nicholson, the designer of the new challenger for the America's cup. The keel weighs 80 tons.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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SALE OF BANKRUPT stock. All creditors of E. S. Buck are requested to be present at the sale of stock of merchandise formerly belonging to E. S. Buck, at No. 8 South Second street. Sale begins at 10 o'clock Saturday morning, November 29th, 1913. K. C. Sidbury, Trustee. no27-3t

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FOR SALE—Small grocery and barbecue business. Reason for selling, I am a traveling salesman and not a merchant. No debt against the business. Apply before Saturday noon, to W. B. Sandlin Grocery Co. L. E. Sandlin, Manager, Eighth and Walnut streets. no27-1t*

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